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REPUBLICANS

Meetings will be held in the Grand Jury Room at the Court House, for all Republican candidates, workers and those interested in the success of the party—

FRIDAY, DEC. 3, at 7.30

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Makes A Statement

Charles M. Richardson, Candidate For Mayor, Defines His Position

Rockland, Dec. 2.
In the closing days of this Municipal Campaign, I think it necessary to make this statement of facts concerning the financial conditions

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and achievements of the present administration which I know will be set forth to show why it should be retained in office, and far be it from me to try to discredit its accomplishments. What I wish to say is that every Mayor of Rockland has proven his ability and has met the several problems that confronted him during his term of office with honor and distinction.
I served the City as Mayor for the period of two terms, 1930 to 1933 inclusive, during the greatest de-

ROCKLAND LODGE

NO. 79—A. F. & A. M.



TUESDAY, DEC. 7
LOBSTER STEW SUPPER

at 6.30 P. M.

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Invited 97-98

The Kiwanis Club

Showed Nine-Lens Maps—
Lt. Com. Fortin Guest
Speaker Monday

Lieut. Commander Henry O.

pression ever experienced in this country and also during the Bank Holiday when taxes were hard to collect. People wanted to pay, but their money and accounts were tied up in the banks.

I think when you analyze the conditions during those years and the conditions that prevail today, you will readily see where it is much easier to make a financial showing than it was in those days that I speak of 1930 to 1933 inclusive. In those years we had some 500 people to help on account of no employment. At the present time, everyone is working and receiving the largest wages that have ever been known, gener-

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Fortin, of the Coast and Geodetic Survey, was speaker at the Kiwanis Club meeting last night. He told an interesting story of the work of his department and of some of his personal experiences while in Montana surveying on "Crazy Mountain" and in Florida among the swamps. Commander Fortin showed maps of this section taken in 1941, with a nine-lens camera, "shot" from a height of 5000 feet.
Lloyd E. Daniels of Rockland and Joseph W. Barron of Bangor were guests. Almon M. Young reported that 156 name plates were added to the Honor Roll board Sunday, making the total, already placed 815. Plans are being made to add extra panels to the board.
Dr. E. L. Scarlott, chairman of the War Fund committee, announced plans for solicitation along Main street. The club will meet with the Lions Club Dec. 7 and J. Roland Spear of Brewer is expected here for the meeting of Jan. 3.

Urges A "No" Vote

E. Carl Moran Gives His Reasons Why Citizens Should Oppose Charter Amendment

Editor of The Courier-Gazette:—
Such an important matter as the proposed amendment to the Charter of City of Rockland, which we are to vote upon next Monday should be given careful consideration, and should be the subject of discussion so that our citizens may vote intelligently on the subject. It should also be considered on a strictly non-partisan basis.

Since it is my belief that the City of Rockland should have a non-partisan Government, a proposal to "take the police and firemen out of politics" appeals to me. Once a policeman or a fireman is appointed on a strictly merit basis, his continuance in office should depend upon his merit and not upon his "politics." Also when such individual has served for years in that capacity, it is my belief that the citizens of Rockland should be willing to arrange for him a pension upon retirement. These are the objectives of this proposed Charter amendment, with those objectives I am in hearty agreement.

However, this particular amendment does not attain at all, one of those two objectives, and the method by which the second objective is attained is highly objectionable.
The first objective—original selection of appointees on basis of merit only—is not attained at all. Under Section 17, all present members and officers of the Police and Fire Department are continued in office without any merit requirement whatever. Certainly that is not selection on basis of merit. Speaking entirely impersonally this ruins the objective. The amendment should have provided that present appointees also be subject to merit examination; a credit could properly have been allowed for their experience in the marking of their examination. But

"Missing In Action"

Grave Fears Felt For Safety Of Stuart E. MacAlman, Naval Petty Officer

Stuart E. MacAlman, petty officer, first class, U. S. Navy, is listed as "missing in action, details unavailable at the moment," according to word received from the navy department Tuesday by his mother, Mrs. Marguerite Gregory Hull of Kittery.

Graduating from Rockland High School in 1938, he entered the Navy the following June and traveled extensively before participating in the Solomon Islands battles, and later in the invasion of Attu. For his competent performance of duty in Alaska he was commended by his superior officers, advanced in rating, and upon return to the States, transferred to the ship of his choice.

His present whereabouts is a matter of grave concern to his wife and relatives.

to foist upon the citizens of Rockland, the present appointees wholesale, without the slightest merit examination, and to provide that they will remain in office until age 65 and then receive a pension, smacks more of "politics" than of merit. For this one reason the amendment should be defeated at the polls.

The second objective—a retirement pension—is open to a most serious objection. Once the amount of the pension is determined, it cannot be charged except by action of the State Legislature! In these days when the Federal Government

YOUR FAVORITE POEM

If I had my life to live again I would have made a rule to read some poetry and listen to some music at least once a week. The loss or taste is a loss of happiness.—Charles Darwin.

AGAIN THE DUNES

Here are the Dunes. Forever as you wander
The meadows, you at last forsake the land's
Long green to find the sea again and ponder
Between dark cliffs, upon the wasteless sands,
The gull's unending arc, the waves' endurance,
Here is the iris and the small shell's fire
Taste on the tongue of balsam and wild currants,
Attar of driftwood when the tide leaps higher.
Go inland, if you will, lag in the valleys,
Trace once again the fern's trail signature;
Always some burning tide within you rallies
And you are driven headlong to the shore,
To stand in awe, seeing the white spray rise
And wash the grass and upland from your eyes.
Harold Vinal

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Stands Squarely On His Record



Edward R. Veazie, Republican, has served as Rockland's Chief Executive through six of the most trying years of the city's history. The record is one of constructive economy in spite of abnormal demands.

Mayor Veazie did not seek the nomination for this next term—rather the nomination sought him.

We urge your support of—

VEAZIE FOR MAYOR, MONDAY NEXT
standing squarely on his record

REPUBLICAN CITY COMMITTEE,
Clarence F. Joy, Chairman.

97-11

VOTERS OF ROCKLAND

YOUR ATTENTION IS CALLED to the referendum question appearing in the Dec. 6 Election Ballot "Shall An Act to Amend the Charter of the City of Rockland by Providing for the Appointment of a Board of Commissioners of Police and Firemen be approved?"

YOU ARE URGED to give this question your support—IF—you have an eye toward the future of Rockland—IF—you want your city and your property to have the best protection possible—IF—you want trained men on the job—IF—you want departments that will have your respect as in other cities—IF—you don't want to lose good police and firemen through the whims of politics at a change of administration.

BRIEFLY here is what the amendment will do—Provide a Board of three Commissioners through appointment by the Mayor, but only two such members from one political party; these members unable to hold any political office whatsoever while serving. An eligibility list of those seeking police and fire jobs will be established by the Board through proper examination. Police and Firemen appointed from the list shall serve after a probationary period until they are 65 years of age, shall have seniority rights and shall be retired on pension. Special Patrolmen and Firemen will be appointed by the board from the eligibility list. The present members of Police and Fire Departments who have served so well will be continued in office.

LOOK to the FUTURE, think carefully on December 6, and vote

YES

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Protect Your Servicemen — Vote NO

In your city election on Monday, Dec. 6, you will vote on a referendum, placing the members of the police and fire departments, including the present chiefs of each, under a civil service status.

Consider the disastrous effects it would have on your Servicemen before you vote on this referendum, which is sponsored during the term of the present Administration.

This bill, if passed, would automatically eliminate your Servicemen from holding any position in the fire and police departments when they return from the battlefields, except in case of the death, discharge or retirement of members who are under civil service.

Vote for your sons, husbands and brothers! **VOTE NO!**

Fight on the Home Front For Those Fighting For You on the Battlefield!

VOTE NO!

Remember This! Now that this is Election Week, Some Present City Officials May Disapprove of the Referendum. For the sake of Your Boys—Vote No!

You cannot help by staying home. Go to the polls on Monday, December 6.

This plea for your Servicemen is written by and paid for by—

D. ROBERT McCARTY

Candidate for Alderman Ward 3

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FOR ALDERMAN IN WARD FOUR

ELECT

ALBERT J. BRICKLEY

MONDAY, DECEMBER 6

REGULAR REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE

Business Man, Taxpayer. Leader in Veteran and Civic Affairs. The Candidate of All the People of Ward Four.

Served in front line trenches for one and one-half years in the World War No. 1, with the famous 101st Infantry, 26th Yankee Division.

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96-97

Merry Christmas

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Saturday, December 4

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At the High School Auditorium
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December 9-10
30c AND 45c

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December 6

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THE COURIER-GAZETTE

Oppress not the widow, nor the fatherless, the stranger, nor the poor.—Zech. 7:10.

Book Review

(By K. S. F.)

The Exploits of King Whoosis. Author, Edmund G. Creeth. The Christopher Publishing House, Boston, Mass.

There never was a better volume to place in the waiting room of a doctor. The cheering humor which comes in these exceedingly clever romances will take all thought of nerves, sleepless nights and aches away in the absorbing charm of these short chapters. The Exploits of King Whoosis, and the solemn doctor, whose advice and treatments are told here in reality the author.

The tales are written with a quaint solemnity of quiet humor, and a touch of dignity that will charm the reader. The ancient butler, the disrespectful valet and the king who took himself too seriously. The adventures of Slinky Snopcer, the detective, and the part played by the more than dissolute parrot will bring tears of laughter to the reader's eyes. Ten stories in all, worthy of your attention, a handy bedside table book or one to tuck into the car lock-box for one to read while waiting. Kathleen S. Fuller.

Larger Unit Coupons

All B's and C's Of New Issue Are Worth Five Gallons Of Gas

Motorists are reminded by the Office of Price Administration that all B and C gasoline coupons are worth five gallons each throughout the country, while B and C coupons previously issued continue to be worth two gallons in the East and Midwest, and three gallons in the Far West until used up.

The new coupons will be distinguished by the designation B-2 or C-2. Only fractional changes in the total monthly gasoline allowed B coupon holders will follow adoption of the new coupons, because fewer of them will be issued. In the West, the maximum monthly mileage allowance for B-book holders is cut from 480 to 460 miles. In the East, it is raised from 320 to 325 miles monthly.

The larger unit coupons will mean great savings in manpower to local issuing boards and to bookkeeping departments in the gasoline industry, OPA said.



An attractive dish is made by surrounding the sliced beets with a ring of tops parboiled for about seven minutes and seasoned with butter, salt and lemon juice.

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Editor, FRANK A. WINSLOW

Associate Editor, MRS. WILLIAM O. FULLER

Subscriptions \$3.00 per year, payable in advance; single copies four cents. Advertising rates based upon circulation and very reasonable. The Rockland Gazette was established in 1846. In 1874 the Courier was established and consolidated with the Gazette in 1882. The Free Press was established in 1865 and in 1881 changed its name to the Tribune. These papers consolidated March 17, 1887.

[EDITORIAL]

WE VOTE
NEXT
MONDAY

Rockland holds its biennial municipal election next Monday, and the outcome hinges upon whether the majority of taxpayers vote upon the safe and sane manner in which affairs have been conducted by Mayor Veazie and his associates the past six years, or be sidetracked from their loyalty by spite and grudge. Mayor Veazie seeking election for a fourth term, much against his personal inclination, would be the last person in the world to claim that his administration has been flawless, for no Mayor has ever had that record, and in the difficult and unpleasant task adjusting city affairs and arbitrating in cases under dispute any Chief Executive steps upon toes and perhaps makes enemies. If the present Mayor had not fallen a victim to such misfortunes he would indeed have been a super-man.

Now let us turn to the bright side of the ledger and see what the Republican party has to offer the voters. Our six-year period city debt has been reduced \$103,248.32. This has been accomplished by payment of accumulated temporary loans, by retirement of a bond issue and by re-investment of cemetery and other trust funds which were used by permission of the court, for construction of the present City Building, and upon which the city has been paying interest since 1898. Other bond issues have been refunded at more favorable rates of interest. It naturally follows from the above that our interest charges have been substantially reduced or nearly \$6300 a year. The tax department conducted efficiently with only \$6454.03 uncollected on years prior to 1943, and only \$75,772.38 on the 1943 balance, with seven months to go before the commitment. The Fire Department has new and modern equipment bought and all in excellent condition.

In co-operation with the Federal government a splendid airport developed, which will be of great benefit after the war. The Welfare Department is operating under fine supervision with every consideration given to the sick and unfortunate.

Columns might be written of other things done by the Administration, but we believe the above is sufficient to show that the Mayor, the City Government and the city officials have labored sincerely and effectively in the taxpayers' behalf.

KENTUCKY'S
HAND
WRITING

Those Kentuckians really means business when they swing the State over to the Republicans in the recent election. Further proof of it is furnished by Tuesday's special Congressional election when the Republican candidate by an overwhelming majority. The Fourth District has habitually been a Democratic one by majorities averaging 4000, making the overturn all the more remarkable. We hope that weak-kneed Republicans who say there is no chance of beating Roosevelt next November will awaken to the signs of the times.

PARI-
MUTUEL
WINNINGS

The volume of pari-mutuel wagers dropped \$234,000 from last year's total, but even then was close to the two-million mark. It is fair to assume that a considerable portion of the sportsmen's winnings were applied to War Bonds, but it would be interesting to know just how much.

MEAT
POINTS
REDUCED

The country rejoices to learn that its meat supplies are in "pretty good shape" and that points will be cut considerably during the month. The altered values will be in effect next week. But to those of us who can't seem to get along without butter on our bread the news that the present high value cannot be reduced is not quite so welcome. The supply is not there on a national basis, says O. P. A.

PEACE A
DANGEROUS
WEAPON

When the Nazis the other day talked of reprisals with secret weapons for the bombing of Berlin, they doubtless meant to suggest something more scary than peace moves. But whenever they talk of peace they are talking of one of their most used secret weapons. "Peace"—and the Nazis, like all German militarists, never use the word without quotation marks—is something Hitler has always carried in a holster, and for a long time he was "quicker on the draw" than any of his adversaries. Before the world posse got so hot on his trail he had bagged the Rhineland, Austria, Czechoslovakia, Hungary, Bulgaria, Rumania and the deadly point of "peace." When he is at last cornered he will hardly lay that pistol down.

It is not too long since folk out in the hills of Tennessee had to deal with similar characters. Not too long, that is, for Mr. Hull still to have an instinct for it. When he told reporters in his press conference that from now until further notice they could quote him daily in the negative peace rumors were concerned, he was speaking that last gun that will remain in the Nazi fist. Meanwhile the free peoples need not become too alarmed about peace rumors, just as long as they do not become too optimistic about them. Peace rumors can be a threat to that complete victory for which the United Nations fight only if they seduce Americans and their allies into laxity at the moment when the peak of exertion is demanded.

But if this danger exists, there exists in peace rumors an even greater danger to the Nazis. This is that the peace pistol will backfire. Nazi denials of peace moves are intended to prevent this backfire. Possibly the denials followed Nazi observations of the effect of peace rumors on the German people, who must be more susceptible to them with every bomb that falls on the fatherland. If the free peoples, and especially those among them who have known the least hardship of the war, could only be trusted to "take it," a great barrage of peace rumors today could as decisively effect the duration of the war as a half-dozen more break-throughs on the Russian front, or a dozen raids on Nazi industrial strongholds. But "peace," as Hitler has found out, is a dangerous weapon to handle, and while there can be any doubt as to the direction in which it may go off, it is better to leave it unloaded.—Christian Science Monitor.

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Kilton Vinal Smith of Vinalhaven

Kilton Vinal Smith, talented musician and member of the world famed Boston Symphony Orchestra for ten years, is receiving recruit training at Newport with Company 767.

He sat in with Dr. Korossvitsky's organization for its memorable concert here recently.

Smith started his music career at the age of 13 years, largely inspired by his mother, a vocalist who graduated from the New England Conservatory of Music in 1902.

Smith obtained his musical education there, as well as his wife, a violinist who graduated in 1929. Smith is equally versatile on trombone, baritone and tuba.

—From the Newport Recruit.



Corp. Ernest R. Nord, who is somewhere overseas, was the grateful recipient of a very attractive

and useful box recently bearing the card "with the compliments of Rockland to a boy overseas." In writing to his wife, Mrs. Alice Kent Nord, of Chestnut street, he wished her to convey his deepest thanks to the kind people who so thoughtfully were the donors. Corp. Nord's present address is:

Corp. Ernest R. Nord, Batry B, 112th A.A. Gun Bn. A.P.O. 512, care Postmaster, New York City.

Staff Sgt. John S. Fogg, a Warren may now be reached by the following address: T4 John S. Fogg, 31037999, 31st. Machine Records Unit (M), APO 9657, care of Postmaster, New York, N. Y.

The address of Pvt. Lavon B. Godfrey of South Thomaston is: ASN-31399426, Co. B, 203d Bn., 63d Regt., Camp Blanding, Fla.

Lt. and Mrs. Laroy Brown have

returned to Michigan and Sgt. Richard A. Brown has returned to MacDill Field, Tampa, Fla. The Browns are sons of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Brown of South Thomaston.

Letters have been received from Pvt. Douglas Ulmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Ulmer, Jr., stating that he has moved from Fort Devens to Fort Bragg, N. C. Their son Donald has moved from West Virginia to Fort Knox, Ky.

Word has been received that Pfc. Roger Conant son of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Conant of Rockland has arrived overseas. His address is: Co. E 11th ROD APO 714 % Postmaster San Francisco, Calif.

Staff Sgt. Harold J. Tabbout of Fort Leonard Wood, Mo. and Mrs. Edward S. Gipson and daughter Sandra Jane of Augusta passed Thanksgiving at the home of their parents Mr. and Mrs. Harold C. Tabbout of Ocean Avenue Owl's Head.

John Jenkins son of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Jenkins of Thomaston has been home on a week's furlough from Newport R. I. where he is an instructor in his company. His address is: 9th Bn. P.O., USNTS, Newport, R. I.

The address of Pvt. Joseph D. Vasso of Rockland is: ASN-31321673 711th Op. Sqd., 4, Seymour Johnson Air Field, N. C.

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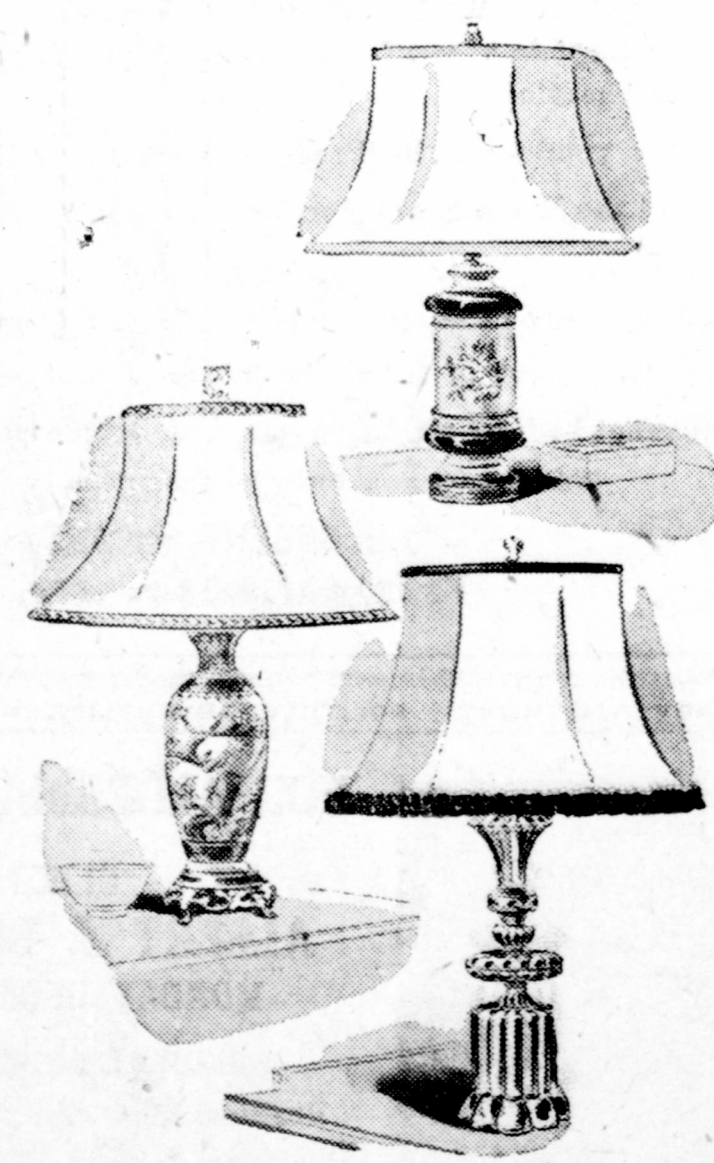
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maintaining Thunderbolt fighter planes, has been promoted from the grade of corporal to that of Sergeant. Sgt. Jordan served with the Air Corps units in New Hampshire and South Carolina prior to embarkation for England early in 1943.

Harrison E. Leavitt, Mo.M.M.2, U. S. Coast Guard of Portsmouth, N.H., was the guest of Mrs. Bertha M. Hussey and daughter Margaret over the Thanksgiving holidays. Mr. Leavitt was formerly stationed at Rockland.

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Dec. 6—City Election
7 a. m. to 7 p. m. E.
Dec. 7—Pearl Harbor
lection.
Dec. 7—Meeting of R.
Club (members please
date).
Dec. 7-9—Annual con-
Maine State Grange in
Dec. 9-10—Senior Cla-
of Jan. 18th" at Rockla-
auditorium.
Dec. 13—Bi-monthly
Knox County Minister-
(place to be announce-
Dec. 15—Candle—Hil-
play, "Brother Goose"
Dec. 17—City School
Christmas vacation.
Dec. 25—Christmas.
Jan. 1—New Years.
Jan. 4—City School
Winter Term.

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Senior class play, w-
Rockland High Scho-
next Thursday and
curtain at 8.15 p. m.
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follows American co-
accurately and realis-
the play highly educ-
as enormously enter-
jury is selected direct-
dience, renders an i-
and is paid for its
short endings are pre-
the verdict of "guilty
"not guilty," and no-
rector knows which w-
till the performance i-
end. A tabulation of
returned during the
shows that acquittal
convictions three to o-
organizations everyw-
as their most excitin-
their most profitable.

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the convention of the
York Dental Society at
sylvania. They will r-
the week.

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Dec. 6—City Election. Polls open 7 a. m. to 7 p. m. E. W. T. Dec. 7—Pearl Harbor Day—in collection. Dec. 7—Meeting of Rockland Garden Club (members please note change of date). Dec. 7-9—Annual convention of the Maine State Grange in Augusta. Dec. 8-10—Senior Class play "Night of Jan. 18th" at Rockland High School auditorium. Dec. 13-Bi-monthly meeting of the Knox County Ministerial Association (place to be announced). Dec. 15—Senior Class play "Night of Jan. 18th" at Rockland High School auditorium. Dec. 17—City Schools close for Christmas vacation. Dec. 25—Christmas. Jan. 1—New Years. Jan. 4—City Schools re-open for Winter Term.

"The Night of January Sixteenth" Senior class play, will be given in Rockland High School auditorium next Thursday and Friday, with curtain at 8:15 p. m. Dealing tersely with a famous murder trial, it follows American court procedure accurately and realistically, making the play highly educational as well as enormously entertaining. The jury is selected directly from the audience, renders an honest verdict, and is paid for its service. Two short endings are prepared, one for the verdict of "guilty" and one for "not guilty," and not even the director knows which will be used until the performance is almost at an end. A tabulation of the verdicts returned during the Broadway run shows that acquittals outnumbered convictions three to one. Producing organizations everywhere acclaim it as their most exciting, as well as their most profitable play.

P. P. Bicknell, president of the Bicknell Manufacturing Company is on a business trip to Philadelphia.

Dr. and Mrs. Dana Newman leave tomorrow night for New York where they will attend over the weekend the convention of the Greater New York Dental Society at Hotel Pennsylvania. They will return early in the week.

George A. Nash has resumed his duties with the Stenington Furniture Company after several weeks illness.

Fred M. Blackington has the contract for raising Moffitt block, badly damaged by fire some weeks ago. The remainder of the structure, owned by V. A. Leach and the W. J. Conkey estate is already partly demolished.

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Green stamps A, B and C of Book 4 valid through Dec. 20; D, E and F stamps good from Dec. 1 through Jan. 20.
Sugar: Stamp No. 29 in back of Book Four valid to Jan. 15 for five pounds of sugar.
Shoes: Aeroplane Stamp No. 1 in Book Three valid for one pair of shoes for indefinite period. Stamp 18 in Book One continues to be valid for period not yet announced. Loose coupons not acceptable except with mail order.
Fuel Oil: Period One coupons valid to Jan. 4. One-unit coupons worth 10 gallons; five-unit coupons worth 50 gallons.
Gasoline: No. 8 coupon valid for three gallons. B and C coupons worth two gallons.
Tires: C-car deadline Nov. 30 on inspections; B-car deadline Jan. 31, and A-car deadline March 31.

Joshua N. Southard, chairman of the board of overseers of the poor, has been appointed by Governor Sewall, a Justice of the Peace for a term of seven years. He received his commission this morning.

"Man Alone" will be the subject of Rev. Roy A. Welker's sermon at the Congregational Church Sunday morning at 10:45. Church School will be at 10 o'clock. Chaplain John W. Myroose will be guest speaker at 6 o'clock supper meeting of the Comrades of the Way.

BORN
Douglas—At Knox Hospital, Nov. 19 to Mr. and Mrs. Neal Douglas, a son—Stephen Lee.
Aho—At East Wadoboro Nov. 25, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter N. Aho, a daughter.
Feyler—At Knox Hospital Nov. 30, to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Feyler, a daughter—Jill Almslee.
Carleton—At Mae Murray Nursing Home, Camden, Nov. 11, to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Carleton of West Rockport, a daughter—Shirley Mae.
Hamalainen—At Camden Community Hospital, Nov. 21, to Mr. and Mrs. David Hamalainen (Dorothy Keller) of Portland and West Rockport, a son—Donald Henry.

MARRIED
Stone-Frisbie—At Upper Darby, Philadelphia, Dec. 2, Parker R. Stone, formerly of North Haven and Mrs. Eva Frisbie of Upper Darby—by Rev. Milich, Perry of Trenton, N. J. formerly of North Haven.

DIED
Feyler—At Bangor, Dec. 1, Frazier H. Feyler of Thomaston, age 81 years, 3 months, 9 days. Funeral Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from Davis Funeral Home. Interment in Village cemetery, Thomaston.
Dodge—At Rockland, Dec. 1, Cora Albee, widow of Charles H. Dodge, age 78 years, 1 month, 19 days. Funeral Sunday at 1 o'clock from Russell Funeral Home. Interment in Sea View cemetery.
Dunbar—At Stoughton, Mass., Nov. 27, Myra F. (Clark) Dunbar, wife of Frederic E. Dunbar, interment in Achorn cemetery, Rockland.
Woodcock—At Boston, Nov. 18, Mrs. Agnes Phillips Woodcock, formerly of Stoughton, age 57 years.
Eaton—At Stoughton, Nov. 21, Mrs. Lydia H. Eaton, age 85 years.
Eaton—At Stoughton, Nov. 18, Mrs. Ada Eaton, age 66.

IN MEMORIAM
In memory of our dear husband and father, Odell F. Bowes, who passed away Dec. 6, 1939.
Some may think you are forgotten. Though on earth you are no more. But in memory you are with us. As you always were before. Just a memory, but oh, so dear. Treasured still with love sincere. Sadly missed by his wife and son.

THEIR APPRECIATION
We would like to thank all those who contributed to our happy anniversary party for their many gifts and cards. Also for the time spent and given so generously to make it successful. We deeply appreciate it. Mr. and Mrs. Irving P. Rich.

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Dr. Alvin W. Foss, chairman of the information committee will have charge of the Rotary Club meeting at Hotel Rockland this noon. A special meeting of the board of directors will follow the meeting. Rotarians will meet with the Lions Club Tuesday noon, at which time Senator Ralph O. Brewster will be the guest speaker. There will be no meeting Friday of next week.

A well baby clinic will be held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the rooms of the Rockland District Nursing Association. Dr. Freeman F. Brown will be in attendance at 4 o'clock to give inoculations for diphtheria and vaccinations for smallpox.

Sheriff Ludwick, City Marshal Mansfield, State Parole Officer E. Stewart Orbeton and Judge Dwinell were in Augusta yesterday attending a regional meeting of the Federal Bureau of Investigation held in the senate chamber at the State Capitol building.

The Past Masters' Degree was conferred on a class of candidates at meeting of King Solomon's Temple chapter last night.

Ralph Colby of South Thomaston, on a hunting trip in the Aurora region, down the Bangor to Calais "airline" shot a spike horned albino deer last week. With him in the party were Frank Rackliff, William Butman, Leroy Alley and Samuel Archer.

Mrs. Nellie W. MacKay was elected president of Anderson Camp, Sons of Union Veterans Auxiliary, at meeting held Wednesday night in Grand Army Hall. Preceding the meeting, a supper was served under the direction of Mrs. Mae Cross. Other officers elected were: Mrs. Margaret A. Rackliff, vice president; Mrs. Stella M. McRae, guide; Mrs. Inez Rackliff, assistant guide; Mrs. Ada Payson and Mrs. Catherine Libby, color bearers; Mrs. Mae Cross, treasurer; Mrs. Velma Marsh, secretary; Mrs. Helen Paladino, patriotic instructor; Mrs. Jennie Pietroski, chaplain; Miss Bessie Sullivan, Mrs. Nellie Achorn and Mrs. Helen Paladino, trustees; Mrs. Bessie Church, inside guard, and Miss Bessie Sullivan, pianist.

Mrs. Joseph Emery, Sr., was elected president of Anderson Mothers' Class of the Congregational Church at meeting held Wednesday night in the vestry. Mrs. E. Carl Moran, Jr., was elected vice president and Mrs. Harold L. Karl, secretary and treasurer.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Savitt have returned from a buying trip to Boston in the interests of Cutler's.

Louis A. Walker, secretary of the Rockland Rotary Club, was speaker at the meeting of the Skowhegan Rotary Club Tuesday. The president of the Skowhegan Club is Kennedy Crane, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy Crane of Rockland.

Fire Chief Van E. Russell has received, for the purchase of needed equipment for the fire department gifts from Morris B. Perry of \$300; J. J. Newberry Co., \$50, and from another donor an unrevealed amount, in appreciation of services at recent fires.

Dec. 14 there will be at the Bok Home for Nurses, an exhibition of handmade rugs by the members of the McElwee Rug Club. This will be a delightful afternoon, with tea served and a real Christmas cheer in the air. This is a hospital benefit with the public invited to do its bit while having a mighty good time.

Winter hasn't reached Rankin street. More like Spring where S. K. Walsh lives. Witness the cluster of pussy willows he passed into this office the other day.

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Away To The Wars

Sixteen Men Left Knox County Yesterday, With Polk of Vinalhaven As Corporal

Sixteen Knox County men left the Selective Service office yesterday afternoon, travelling by train to the induction center at Portland. This group, answering the 45th call, was in charge of Charles E. Polk of Vinalhaven, acting corporal. There were four volunteers, indicated by a "(V)" entered before their names.

The list:
(V) Oliver Elmer Kallio, St. George.
(V) Charles Elmon Polk, Vinalhaven.

Arthur Sands Hunt, Camden.
Richard Henry Lowell, Thomaston.
Perley Willie Black, Thomaston.
Joseph Harold McGuire, Thomaston.
Leo Joseph Rivard, Camden.
Lewis Judson Haskell, North Haven.

Carroll Earl Dennison, Camden.
Arthur Gray Kinney, St. George.
Harold Irving Cushman, Port Clyde.

Lawrence William Chapman, Thomaston.

Otto Kittner Proctor, Rockland.
Transferred in for induction.
Frank Joseph Thomas from L.B. 9, Belmont, Mass.

(V) Philip George Lonn from

COAL IS COMING

In a telephone conversation with The Courier-Gazette late yesterday afternoon Representative Margaret Chase Smith announced that a carload of coal was to be shipped to M.B. & C.O. Perry directly from the mines in Pennsylvania, and that another carload will shortly be on the way to the Rockland Coal Company from Boston. The shipments are authorized by the Solid Fuel officials in Washington.

"New England will not get as much coal as it did last Winter," said Mrs. Smith, "but our Maine delegation is doing everything in its power."

L. B. 2, Kennebunk, Maine.

(V) John Joseph Sullivan from

L. B. 3, Waterville, Maine.

The list of 33 men which left Rockland Nov. 24 included that of William R. Gordon of Vinalhaven, transferred from L. B. 1, Murphy, N. C. This name should have been preceded by a "(V)" as Mr. Gordon volunteered in North Carolina.

D.U.V. have a game party Monday at G.A.R. hall. Supper at 6 o'clock; 7:30 regular meeting and second nomination of officers.

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Roast Loin of Pork, Apple Sauce 1.00

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THEY AWOKE THE TOWN

High School Boys and Girls Lent Zest To Yesterday's "Old Clothes" Drive

The Gamewell fire alarm system tapped out box 64 yesterday afternoon and the mild amount of interest which it created was speedily accentuated by the long continued blast of the Spring street siren. While folks were wondering what all the row was about up Main street came a curiously assorted parade headed by a fife and drum corps.

Following the music an apparently endless procession of trucks, automobiles, more trucks and more automobiles, filled to overflowing with 400 happy high school pupils, seeking to tell the world that the city's old clothes drive was in progress. The centerpiece for one of these groups was a good looking man, bareheaded, his smiling features reflecting the enthusiasm which arose all about him. Might have been "Link" McRae.

It started this way: Mrs. McRae had been named chairman of the drive and the affair had progressed but briefly when the continuous ringing of the telephone warned her that she would do little else than answer it, say nothing of managing an old clothes drive.

At her wits' end Mrs. McRae welcomed the appearance of her husband and the suggestion of that dynamic gentleman that he be allowed to put his shoulder to the wheel. Both shoulders, in fact.

"Link" has been associated with civic enterprises long enough to know his way around and his first act took him to the High School building where he speedily enlisted the services of Principal Joseph E. Blaisdell, who agreed to close his school early in the afternoon of the drive, and to furnish the services of the 400 high tension noise-makers, who occupy the seats. How this outfit woke the city up was seen yesterday afternoon.

The collection of old clothes was a tremendous success and Arthur F.

Lamb who had agreed to do the cleaning of the Knox County collection fainted dead away (figuratively speaking) when the Rockland proceeds were landed at his doors.

Tremendously grateful on his own account is Link McRae who wants The Courier-Gazette to thank Alden Allen, superintendent of schools; Principal Blaisdell, the High School students, those who furnished motor trucks and other cars, and, of course, those who furnished old clothes, 90 percent of which will go

to the children of the war-torn countries and the balance to the needy ones at home.

The volume of yesterday's drive results may be judged from the fact that the weight of the collected garments exceeded three tons.

There will be a circle supper Tuesday night at 6:15, preceding meeting of Rebekah Lodge, I.O.O.F. Those not solicited will take sweets. There will be degree work on several candidates. Knox Lodge, I.O.O.F., will work the second degree Monday night.

Spec. offer on Women's Home Companion, Colliers, American, good until Feb. 15, 1944, 14 months for \$5; all other magazines. Spec. rates on magazines for boys in Service. Sherwood E. Frost, 158 North Main St. Tel. 1181J. 11*

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If elected he pledges himself to work earnestly for the interests of Ward 4 and the City as a whole.

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HOPE TO HAVE THE FAIR

But If Conditions Are Unchanged "North Knox" Will Again Be Cancelled

Completing ten years of service as president of the North Knox Horticultural & Agricultural Society,



Clarence Leonard, who retires from North Knox presidency with splendid record.

Clarence Leonard tendered his resignation at Wednesday's annual meeting, and was succeeded by Herbert A. Hawes, who steps up

from the vice presidency.

The decade which comprised Mr. Leonard's term of service was one of the most important in the fair's history, and finds the association with a substantial balance and no outstanding debts. During that administration the attendance figures rose to a new high, and "Union Fair" as it is best known, earned a State-wide reputation. The new president, Mr. Hawes, is also a progressive Union citizen holding at the present moment the position of chairman of the Board of Selectmen, road commissioner, tax assessor and overseer of the poor.

Other officers elected by the North Knox Association are:

Vice President—Charles Fossett, Secretary—James Dorman, Treasurer—John H. Williams, Race Secretary—R. M. McKinley, Trustees—Charles E. Vannah, Washington; Jethro D. Pease, Hope; Royal R. Hall, Warren; R. M. McKinley, Union; and Albert Sherman, Appleton.

It is hoped that war conditions will have so greatly improved by the coming Summer that another cancellation of the fair will not be necessary, but if they are unchanged the fair will not be held.

The New Registrants

Names of Men and Women Who Have Joined the Voting Lists

The Board of Registration, Frank W. Fuller, chairman; Fred H. Sanborn and Frank S. Marsh, reported at closing time Wednesday, that 170 residents had registered since the board opened its sessions Nov. 24.

Names to be added to the voting lists are as follows: Ward 1, 8; Ward 2, 32; and 3, 38; Ward 4, 31; Ward 5, 20; Ward 6, 21 and Ward 7, 20.

Ward One: Giuliano Passalacqua, Mitchell A. Cummings, Grazia Lombardo, Bessie V. Norton, Helen U. Brewer, Norma Frost Anderson, Lorita P. Brooks and Ruth G. Staples.

Ward Two: Leroy A. Carter, Fannie B. Carter, Eva J. Gray, Emma L. Nickerson, Francis E. Pearson, Marion P. Pearson, June M. Schlicht, Walter P. Thompson, Leah E. Wingate, Laurence C. Wingate, Dorothy F. Young, Ruth O. Fogelman, Stuart E. Fogelman, Florence K. Elms, Charlotte Staples, Mildred Carver Sufekorth, Eleanor B. Gamage, Gordon J. Smith, Emma E. Carter, Florence S. Johnson, Fred J. Anderson, Georgia R. McLean, Dorothy D. Merchant, Clyde S. Young, Mary P. Cross, Everett A. Carter, Winnie L. Hall, Floyd L. Merchant, Fern M. Browne, Roger L. Elms Leo W. Lebrun and Gloria L. Lebrun.

Ward Three: Clifford S. Goudey, Jane M. Goudey, Edward Kent Glover, Robert P. Hills, Susan S. Keizer, Frances Q. Lowe, Henry S. Marsh, Marguerite L. Marsh, Walter E. Marr, Victor M. Prescott, Walter E. Prescott, Mabel A. Pillsbury, Lydia E. Smith, Fred Richard Smith, Ruth G. Thompson, Roy A. Welker, Mary Irene Welker, Edward F. Wahl, Leroy E. Rich, William A. Karl, Katherine E. Karl, Alice L. Hart, Vernard K. Barnes, Eleanor C. Barnes, Gerald U. Margeson, Arthur E. W. Eaton, Androus M. Moody, Margaret P. Mageson, Elizabeth H. Rackley, Vivien S. Sullivan, Alfred G. Hempstead, Ellen P. Hempstead, Maxine F. Perry, Ruth V. Sukeforth, Mary C. Flanagan, Mildred E. Heal, Zenas W. Melvin and William H. Romanoff.

Ward Four: Mildred E. Blood, Charlotte D. Bridges, Hattie R. Clark, Rose A. Frazer, Ralph A. Gulliver, Willard P. Gray, Ruth G. Gray, Percy A. Gray, Carolyn Elizabeth Hanscom, Edward O. Harrison, Hiram L. Ingerson, Harry Laton Jackson, Josephine C. McKusick, William W. Smith, Rollo S. Watkins, Eleanor Rydie Trainer, Katherine Jordan Hopkins, Madelyn L. Turner, Austin C. Billings, Edith L. Billings, Zatha M. Hockridge, Richard E. Hockridge, June

TALK OF THE TOWN

The inmates at the City Farm enjoyed a roast pork dinner and all the fixin's Thanksgiving Day. The W.C.T.U. held a meeting at the Farm the 19th when the inmates enjoyed song and a few words from Mrs. Thompson of the Salvation Army. Boxes of fruit and candy were distributed. Another donation was a large basket of fruit and nuts a box of tobacco and another box of candy and cookies sent from the Congregational Church.

The name of Nelson Pierce should be added to the list of High School pupils who took coins and paper money to class.

Richard G. Spear of 145 Talbot avenue has been commissioned as an officer in the U. S. Maritime service.

Mrs. Florence Dyer of Owl's Head went Wednesday to New Bedford, Mass. (7 Homer street) to spend Christmas with her sons Richard and Ellis Dyer.

The Knox County Hospital Auxiliary will meet at the Bok Home Tuesday Dec. 7.

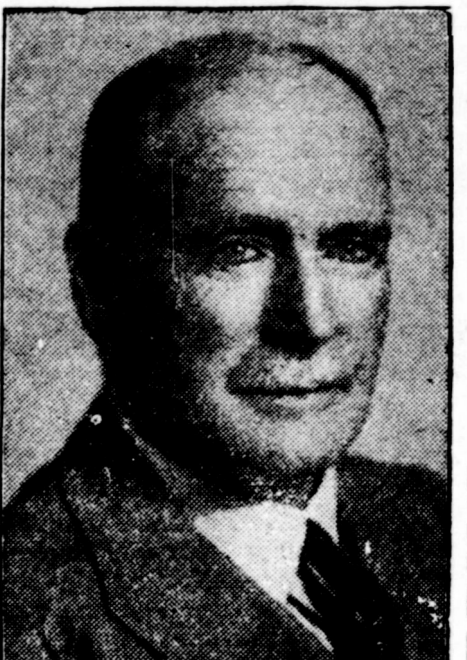
A meeting of the third district council, American Legion Auxiliary, will be held Tuesday afternoon at 1:30, preceded by luncheon at 12:30.

GEORGES RIVER ROAD
Services Sunday in the Finnish Church will begin at 1 p. m. The business meeting of the church will be held Tuesday night.

Our boys must keep on fighting—we must keep on fighting WAR BONDS until victory is won. KEEP ON BACKING THE ATTACK.

Dr. Deck Is Coming

Man Who Found Skulls Of Cannibal Victims, At Baptist Church Next Tuesday Night



Dr. Northcote Deck, FR.G.S.

Dr. Northcote Deck, FR.G.S. has had a long and varied experience in Christian work in many parts of the world. Born in London, he graduated in medicine at Sydney University and was in general practice in London for several years before receiving a call to missionary work. He joined the South Sea Evangelical Mission working in the Eastern Solomon Islands in 1908.

In 1910 he made the first overland crossing of the mountains of Malaita, then largely cannibal, and the same year made the first overland crossing of Guadalcanal, then mainly unexplored. It was on this latter journey that the Doctor discovered the skulls of members of an Australian Scientific Expedition which under Count Von Norbeck, a personal friend of the Emperor of Austria, had been massacred twelve years before on Lion's Head Mountain in Guadalcanal.

Dr. Deck will speak about missionary work in the Solomons as well as give a Bible exposition. He has travelled around the world, holding meetings and conferences in many lands. He has been a frequent speaker at the great Koswick convention in England and also in Canada. He is an excellent Bible teacher with depth and keenness of presentation.

Dr. Deck will be speaking in the First Baptist Church of Rockland, Tuesday at 7:30 p. m.

WALDOBORO

MISS ISABEL LAINE
Correspondent

Telephone 70

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Cooney came from New York, Wednesday and spent the holiday and following week at their home here, but will return Sunday.

Miss Sara Ashworth came from St. Johnsbury, Vt., to spend the holiday week-end with her mother, Mrs. Mildred Ashworth.

Mrs. Eudora Miller is in Friendship for the winter.

Mrs. C. B. Staff left Sunday on her annual vacation of two weeks with her sister, Mrs. Edward Connor in Winchester, Mass.

Floyd Benner and Miss Sally Sprague passed the holiday week-end with Mr. Benner's sister, Mrs. Bernard Burke, in Waltham, Mass.

Charles Mathews of Hope, has been guest of his aunt, Mrs. Annie Richards.

Mrs. Irene Sprague and Mrs. Marion Froelich of New York are in Arizona for the winter.

Miss Mary Miller, a student at the University of Maine, passed the week-end with her mother, Mrs. M. Louise Miller.

Thomas (Sonny) Lee is spending a short furlough with his mother, Mrs. Ella Marshall.

Guy Waltz is in Waterville for the winter.

Mrs. G. B. Walter has closed her home on Friendship street and is in Thomaston for the winter.

Edith Burgess, Bertha Lewis and Mary Steele were at home from Gorham Normal School over the holiday week-end.

Seventeen listened Tuesday to Rev. Frederick Heath, at a meeting of the Woman's Club at the Baptist vestry. His subject was "Happiness," and cheered his hearers at a time when there is so little happiness in the world.

Mrs. Albert Miller and son have returned from Frenchboro, where they visited her parents, Rev. and Mrs. William Muir.

Ray Sprague of Portland was guest Monday of his sister, Mrs. Lila Lovejoy.

Thomas L. Richards has been at home from Portland for a short visit.

Charles Crowell and family of Portsmouth, N. H., have been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Crowell.

For Yuletide Cheer

The Salvation Army Is Girding Itself For Annual Effort

Cod liver oil capsules—even though sugar coated—ordinarily would not be a juvenile choice for a Christmas gift from Santa Claus but Mme. Chiang Kai Shek, China's First Lady, says 20,000 Chinese war orphans under Salvation Army care in Chungking institutions need them most of all, and, according to news received by Major Abraham Thompson in charge of local Salvation Army, they are going to get them, together with warm stockings to hold them and other needs and "goodies" on Christmas morning.

"That's good news for China," said Major Thompson, commenting on the information, "but in order to prevent fear or misapprehension on the part of the local juveniles who are looking forward to sharing in Salvation Army cheer this coming Christmas, I want to make it clear that the Christmas Sunshine Baskets now being planned for distribution in Rockland will include only real 'goodies' with no cod liver oil added."

Throughout America more than 1,000,000 Christmas dinners will be served in Salvation Army shelters, hospitals and other institutions. The local Corps will distribute Christmas baskets, each containing sufficient wholesome food for several nourishing meals, to families or individuals who, because of illness, incapacity to work or other misfortune, would otherwise have little or nothing with which to celebrate Christmas. It will supply fuel to any hearth that is cold and cheerless and provide warm clothing to many who need it to keep out the winter cold.

Major Thompson said that the following local institutions would be visited: Knox Hospital, Home for Aged Women, City Farm, Coast Guard Sick Bay.

WARREN

ALENA L. STARRETT
Correspondent

Tel. 40

Citizens who have tin cans ready for collection which have not been called for, may telephone Fred Perkins, Jr., salvage chairman or Mrs. Alena Starratt, salvage secretary, and the cans will be collected Monday.

The Help One Another Circle of Kings Daughters will meet Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Elja Caler.

The Pleasantville Farm Bureau will meet Tuesday for the day with Mrs. S. B. Kallach. Dinner will be served.

The Dorcas Circle of Kings Daughters will meet Monday afternoon with Mrs. Fred Campbell.

At the Baptist Church Sunday morning, all offerings outside the church envelopes, and those especially marked as designated for that purpose, will be devoted to the World Emergency Forward Fund.

The postponed inspection of the E. A. Starratt Auxiliary, SUV., will be held Wednesday afternoon. Officers are requested to wear white. Dinner will be served.

A drive for old or cast off clothing for Britain will be started immediately. Those who wish to donate such clothing, are asked to contact either Mrs. Edwin Boggs or Mrs. Willis Vinal. No rubber or leather materials, hats or caps are wanted in this drive. Rockland will be the centre, and Arthur Lamb is to do the cleansing of such garments.

Children of the Congregational Church school, and the choir are preparing a Christmas program to be presented Dec. 19 at the Congregational Church. Included will be the pageant, "The Story of Christmas," and recitations.

Sermon topic Sunday morning at the Congregational Church will be "The Vitamins of the Master." Church school will meet at 9:30 a. m.

Sermon topics Sunday at the Baptist Church will be: At 10:30 a. m., "This is the Victory." At 7 p. m. at the union service at the Congregational Church, Louis A. Walker of Rockland, past district deputy grand master of this district of Masonic Lodges, will speak on "Light in its Symbolic Meeting." This will be

War Fund Drive

The local War Fund Drive will extend Dec. 6 to 11 with South Thomaston's quota set at \$300. Every home will be solicited by the Neighborhood Group. Cash donations of any amount will be accepted. A substantial percentage of the total will be kept here for use among the armed forces locally.

Let's end it quick with over-subscription of War Bonds now!

Tired Kidneys Often Bring Sleepless Nights

When disorder of kidney function permits poisonous matter to remain in your blood, it may cause nagging backache, rheumatic pains, leg pains, loss of pep and energy, getting up nights, swelling, puffiness under the eyes, headache, dizziness, frequent urination, passages with smarting and burning, and many other signs. Frequent urination shows there is something wrong with your kidneys.

Don't wait! Ask your druggist for Doan's Pills, used successfully by millions for over 40 years. They give happy relief and will help the 15 miles of kidney tubes flush out poisonous waste from your blood. Get Doan's Pills.

Rockland Lions

View the World From Interesting Aspects—Principal Blaisdell the Speaker



"Joe" Blaisdell

Entertainment of a decidedly unique character was furnished the members of the Rockland Lions Club Wednesday when Principal Joseph E. Blaisdell of Rockland High School presented a stereoscopic lecture on world maps.

The story began away back in the days when folks thought the world was flat, reminding one of the story of the school teacher who assured a heckling school board that she was prepared to teach it either way. In the days referred to it was the current belief that if a navigator sailed far enough in either direction he would fall off over the edges into oblivion.

The development of this geographical study was followed with keen interest by the Lions, who found the speaker thoroughly at home on the subject, analyzing, as he went the significance of the world's trade channels and war defense.

Principal Blaisdell's reputation as a good story-teller was enhanced by the anecdotes with which he prefaced his lecture.

Congratulations were extended to Lion Robert C. Gregory, who has recently received a junior grade lieutenant's commission in the Navy.

Next week's meeting will be held on Tuesday in conjunction with the Rotary and Kiwanis Clubs, and the guest speaker will be U. S. Senator Ralph O. Brewster, who has honored the club by speaking here on Pearl Harbor Day.

Followed by a Masonic forum, in which Albert E. MacPhail, past master of St. George Lodge, Mr. Walker and local men will share. Members of St. George Lodge, P.A.M., and Ivy Chapter, O.E.S., are especially invited to attend and the public is also invited. Church school meets at 12 at the Baptist Church.

St. George Lodge, P.A.M. meets Monday, the Fellowship degree to be worked.

Eighty-eight observers of the last active list were presented winged buttons for service the first of the week, the gift issued by Willis R. Vinal, the chief. Pins were given to the Chief, Mr. Vinal and Rev. L. Clark French, and Fred Perkins, recognition officer. The buttons are very attractive, and all observers were pleased with them. Mr. Vinal's card which was enclosed, read, "Dear Observer, You are one of the strong cross links of the observation tire chain that keeps Shickelgruber's wings from slipping in. Please accept and wear enclosed slight token of appreciation from the Army Air Corps. And let me add my personal thanks for the many hours of cheerful watching."

SOUTH THOMASTON
Old Clothes Drive

In line with all other towns in Knox County, South Thomaston will hold its Old Clothes and Rags Day next Monday. House to house collection will be made by First Selectman Wallace Bragg. Every family is requested to donate as much discarded clothing and rags as possible and to have it left outside Monday morning in bags or boxes. If stormy, collection will be made Tuesday. Material will be used 10% for civilian relief and the rest to stricken countries.

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Handles Big Job

Charles Coughlin Home From West Virginia Where They Make Power

Quite a few years ago the writer used to obtain priorities in Elwell's barber shop by the simple expedient of paying a small tip to a youngster who invariably arrived there ahead of me.

Yesterday the youngster came up from Cabin Creek, West Virginia—a high, wide and handsome young man who introduced himself to the editor as Charles G. Coughlin. The wheel of fortune spun rapidly for "Charlie," who is today superintendent of the \$25,000 K. W. plant at Cabin Creek, known as the Appalachian Electric Power Company. The parent concern is the American Gas & Electric Central System which produces 1,500,000 K. W. per hour.

At Cabin Creek there is a four-boiler dual furnace controlled furnishing a constant super-heat at 925 F., which in the pipe line, uncovered is cherry red, producing 250,000 K. W. per hour, capable of taking care of practically all of Maine's electrical needs.

The bulk of the load goes to the bituminous coal dealers, when they are at work, as Supt. Coughlin puts it.

The plant, in order to produce this high kilowattage, burns 3600 tons of coal per day, from seams 14 feet in height, furnishing power from the Carolinas to Chicago, and controlling the frequency for the entire eastern system.

Supt. Coughlin has been with the corporation seven years, located at Logan, West Virginia, before going to Cabin Creek.

His presence in his old home town at this moment is due to the fact that he had come north to attend the convention of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers in session in New York. Couldn't resist the opportunity to visit Rockland and sample mother's cooking. His mother is Mrs. Charles S. Coughlin of 139 Rankin street.

Urges A "No" Vote

Continued from Page One

ally speaking, I do not think it should be called as hard to administer the affairs under present conditions, in comparison with other past years with so much help as they have received in late years from the Federal Government.

Fellow citizens, if you feel that I am able and competent to administer your affairs with the fine tickets that we have in the several wards, if you feel that a change is needed, I certainly will be very grateful for your support and will do everything within my power to serve you with honor and integrity of purpose to the best of my ability.

"There has been some propaganda to the effect that I have promised different positions to certain people should I be the successful candidate, which I will take this occasion to deny. I am not pledged to anyone for any office. The only promise that I wish to make, if I am successful, is the faithful performance of my duties, and the putting into condition of some of the streets which, I feel, are in a deplorable condition, especially Route 1, Broadway, and if successful I pledge myself to the execution of this promise. The reduction of \$92,000 in the City debt claimed by this administration in a recent issue of the paper without an increase in tax rate, is money saved at the expense of the streets, and also by increased valuation on property this amount would vanish almost entirely on careful examination of these two items alone to which I refer.

Charles M. Richardson, Candidate for Mayor.

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Dr. C. W. McClure of Newton, Mass., spent the holiday week-end with Mrs. McClure and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Winchenbach entertained Thanksgiving Day Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fairbrother and son, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Felts and children of Edgecomb, Mr. and Mrs. Harris Foster and daughter of Bath and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Stover and daughter of Broad Cove.

Four medium-sized parsnips serve four people. The best parsnips to buy are those which are firm, straight and smooth.

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WANTED

WOULD like to purchase, at once a full size Ping Pong table. TELEPHONE 1016 Rockland.

MAN'S fur coat for sale. H. D. CRUE, 27 Lincolnton St.

FOUR or five room rental wanted, centrally located. TEL. 790.

LIGHT trucking wanted. TEL. 3148 or write P. O. BOX 862, city.

WOMAN wanted for general housework. EDWIN C. TRAGUE, Tel. Warren, 13-42 97-98.

RETIRED professional man, active, mechanical aptitude, desires part-time employment. Write W. M. KEMBALL, 68 Camden St., City.

I WANT the following books: Science and Health 1875 or 78, Mary Baker Eddy or Glover; Huckleberry Finn 1885, Tom Sawyer 1886; Leaves of Grass, Walt Whitman, printed in 1855, date at bottom of title page must correspond with copyright date. Will pay \$25.00 for each in good condition. Old stamps collection or accumulation envelopes sent from Civil War or from California during Gold Rush days; gold miners' letters, ships log books, pictures, clocks, sextants, compasses, figureheads, steering wheels, etc. Write or phone Mr. Albert B. BROWN, South Thomaston, Tel. 243-13.

HOUSE wanted to let or to buy about 6 rooms, in or near Rockland. E. B. SMITH, Tel. 110.

HOUSEKEEPER wanted, for adults only. Can go home nights. ROBERT LEONARD, Tel. 223M.

NEW milch cow wanted; also 2 beef cows for sale. ALBERT FREDERICKSON, Tel. 243-13.

MEN wanted to cut wood. You aren't too old to be patriotic, or we will all freeze. \$6 for 8 ft. cuts, \$6.50 for 14 ft. cuts. HILL FARM, Owl's Head, Tel. 262R.

MECHANIC and floor man wanted at STANLEY'S GARAGE, 245 Main St., City. Tel. 511.

ANTIQUES WANTED

FURNITURE, old glassware, etc. Why not sell now while prices are high? At present I will pay from \$5 to \$10 for small pieces and up to \$25 for large pieces. Write me at 10 HIGH ST., Camden. Tel. 945.

LOST AND FOUND

PAIR glasses lost between home of Ralph Robinson and W. W. Village. Finder please return to BETTY JANE MOORE, Warren.

LADY'S yellow gold wrist watch lost Wednesday between Main St. and First National Store. Finder please return to 35 NO. MAIN ST. Rev. Tel. 511.

LADY'S change purse found in front hotel. Apply MANAGER, Hotel Rockland.

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Paging Santa Claus

by Jane Corby

McCLURE SYNDICATE - W.N. FEATURES

CHAPTER I

With every slap of her powder puff resentment grew in the amber-eyed girl leaning close to the mirror. It was the color of her hair—such a dark red! Did any hair have to be so dark that it could never, even on top of a Fifth Avenue bus on a sunny day, be described as red-gold? Maybe if she did her hair a different way—but she had no time for experiment. She was late now. And Paul Harris would be quick to tell her, not for the first time, that if she didn't care enough about her job as magazine counter girl at the Devon Arms Hotel to get there on time, he, as manager, would be forced, regretfully, to accept her resignation.

But indignation at her looks and against having to hurry off to work—on Thanksgiving Day, too!—were only items in a long list of resentments that Jan Payson had accumulated. There was the matter of the Thanksgiving dinner she and Dora had just finished to the last scrap. She had set her heart on having a broiler for Dora's Thanksgiving, and to that end had smiled her prettiest every day for a week at the customers who stopped at her stall for reading matter or cigarettes. A smile, she had found, was sometimes good for a tip, but not this week—oh, no, she needed the money too badly this week to have even an extra nickel thrown her way.

A thump on the door made her jump, so that her elbow knocked against a slender vase standing on the dresser and sent it crashing against the marble.

"Who's there?" called Jan, knowing that peremptory knock very well, but pausing to retrieve the rosebud, nevertheless. It put off the actual moment of facing Mrs. Mallard by at least a split second.

"Who are you expecting?" came the sarcastic rejoinder from without, and Jan, with a sigh, opened the door gingerly. Mrs. Mallard pushed it wide the minute the knob was turned, and took a step into the room. "Well?" she said.

"Well what?" said Jan, bravely. "Well what?" Mrs. Mallard mimicked her roomer. Then, with a brusque change of tone: "It's the rent I'm after. Give."

She held out a large, rather grimy hand at the end of a stout arm. In spite of herself, Jan's voice shook a little as she explained that, since it was Thanksgiving, she hadn't expected Mrs. Mallard to ask for the rent until—

"Yes, can have till Saturday," said Mrs. Mallard. "To pay up or get out, and I'm breakin' a lifelong rule of my house to let you stay a day over three weeks—"

"Good-by, darling," Jan stooped to kiss Dora's wrist from the threshold, then closed the door softly and ran down the stairs. It was drizzling, a fact which she had no opportunity of noting in their flat, for their two windows looked out on the brick wall of the house next door, hardly three feet away. That nickel she thought she had, proved to be nonexistent. Twenty blocks—a generous mile—lay between her and the Devon Arms. Not much of a walk, but quite a run, especially in the rain. And as far as she could figure it out, she would have to move at what was practically a run to reach the hotel anywhere near on time.

There was the Devon Arms, at last, across the street. Jan headed for the employees' entrance, darting in front of a car parked at the curb. So quickly had she bounded across the glistening black road that the man behind the wheel, with his foot on the starter, having warning of her catapaulting approach. At the instant she flew into his line of vision he pressed down, and the long car shot forward.

The edge of the front fender bumped Jan smartly as she clipped past. It was not a hard blow, but it threw her off balance and she sprawled on the wet sidewalk. The man, with an exclamation of alarm, leaped to the ground and lifted her to her feet. "You are hurt!"

"Hurt? I'm ruined!" she cried. "Hurt? I'm ruined!" she cried. She dabbed feebly with her handkerchief at the mud that streaked down the front of her suit.

"Allow me," the young man whisked out a huge square of fine linen and began an expert job of mopping up.

"I don't know how you keep your job, if you can't drive any better than that," Jan said severely. "As a matter of fact, I've a good mind to complain to your employer."

"Let me—" said the chauffeur. "Oh, skip it! I was only trying to scare you. I won't make trouble."

Jan, who had the door open by this time, waved a friendly hand, grinned a friendly grin and disappeared. The young man stood for a moment, staring at the slowly closing door. Then he an impulse he bounded across the sidewalk and gently pushed it open. Jan was just entering another door at the end of a long corridor. He heard a shrill greeting from within.

the Surgical Dressings meeting at Legion Hall. The leaders Mrs. Ada Creed and Mrs. Hazel Roberts were much pleased with the attendance of 42 and the large number of Surgical Dressings made that night, which was 2572. There will be a Christmas party at the meeting of Dec. 7. The meetings are held every Tuesday night.

Mrs. O. V. Drew visited Wednesday in Rockland.

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The Methenesec Club

Programs For Balance Of the Season—The List of Members and Officers

The following meetings are scheduled to be held by the Methenesec Club during the balance of the season:

Dec. 10—Home of Minnie Rogers. Assisting hostesses, Ruth Rogers, Madeline Jackson, Fern Horeysek. Christmas program under direction of Irene Welker.

Dec. 24—Meeting will be omitted. Jan. 7—Masonic Building. Hostesses, Alice Karl, Ellen Cochran, Caroline Jameson. Best sellers reviewed by Angelica Glover.

Jan. 21—Home of Juliet Lundin. Assisting hostesses, Relief Nichols, Ida Huntley, Hattie Davies. Poetry by members of the Scribblers' Club.

Feb. 4—Universalist vestry. Guests. Hostesses, Josephine Rice, Reita Holden, Hester Chase, Edith Blecknell, Etta Stoddard, Katharyn St. Clair, Ruth Ellingwood, Eva Heller. Program to be announced.

Feb. 18—Masonic Building. Hostesses, Bernice Havenner, Lilla Howe, Dora Bird, Flora Ulmer, Winifred Proctor Gladys Burns. Early History of Penobscot Bay. Speaker, Ellen Hempstead.

March 3—Home of Orissa Merritt. Assisting hostesses, Mary Avery, Adele Bird, Bertha Orbeton. Current events. Guest speaker.

March 17—Masonic Building. Hostesses, Dorothy Carsley, Ellen Daly, Ellen Dyer, Katherine Haines, Lillian Kenyon, Anna Nelson, Gertrude Payson. Program on Deep South under direction of Gladys Burns.

March 31—Evening meeting honoring Junior Woman's Club guests. Hostesses, Suella Sheldon, Lilla Vadavouli, Ellen Hempstead, Lilla Thomas, Jane Beach, Mary P. Rich, Caroline Sleeper, Mabelle Rose, Mary Smith, Caroline Stanley, Gaynell Wilson, Grace Daniels. Guest turned Monday from Rockland.

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Cora Perry, Winifred Proctor, Josephine Rice, Mary Rich, Minnie Rogers, Ruth Rogers, Grace Rollins, Mabel Rose, Carrie Shaw, Suella Sheldon, Caroline Sleeper, Mary Smith, Elsa Sonntag, Mary Southard, Mabel Spring, Margaret Stahl, Caroline Stanley, Katharyn St. Clair, Etta Stoddard, Flora Ulmer, Clara Thurston, Lilla Vadavouli, Irene Walker, Irene Welker, Gaynell Wilson, Zaida Winslow, Millie Thomas.

* Past presidents.

† Honorary members.

The officers are: President—Josephine Rice. Vice President—Katharyn St. Clair.

Secretary—Reita Holden. Treasurer—Hester Chase. Auditor—Ruth Rogers.

Director—Mabel Holbrook. Director—Edith Blecknell.

Program committee—Irene Moran chairman, Irene Walker, Irene Welker.

Social committee—Ruth Rogers chairman, Gladys Burns, Ruth Albee, Sarah Marsh, Alice Soule, Madeline Jackson.

Benevolence Committee—Minnie Rogers chairman, Mary Southard, Caroline Sleeper.

Hospitality committee—Laura Macy chairman, Anna Nelson, Caroline Jameson.

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331 MAIN ST., ROCKLAND

Ninety-Four Names

On the Finnish-American Honor Roll, St. Georges River Road

The names of 94 Finnish Americans, including one girl, Miss Bertha Korpinen of Rockland, were listed on the honor roll unveiled and dedicated Sunday at the Finnish Congregational Church, Georges River road.

Present in person were Sgt. William Leppanen of the Army Air Corps, Pvt. Rudolph Kantola and Sgt. Elden Ellison. Taking part in the ceremonies were members of Williams-Brazier, A. L. in uniform, Alvah Spear, commander; Roy Bell, State vice commander; Irving Sawyer and Edward Dorman service officers.

The program was: Singing by audience; invocation, Rev. Samuel Nevala; remarks by Mr. Bell and Mr. Dorman; song, "When the Lights Go On Again All Over the World," Mrs. Helen Merrill; original poem by John Wessanen, Rev. Mr. Nevala; poem, "Kodiak Moon," recited in memory of Sgt. William Johnson; song, "Say a Prayer for the Boys Over There," Miss Eleanor Nelson; unveiling of honor roll by Miss Hilda and Edith Maki while the Star Spangled Banner was played by Oliver Niemi, accordion, Wilho Elgland, saxophone and August Autio, violin; reading of names on roll, Rev. Mr. Nevala; speech in English by Rev. Alfred Hempstead; Finnish speech, Rev. Alex Raita; music, "God Bless America" by orchestra; singing by audience; benediction, Rev. Mr. Hempstead. Mrs. Emma Johnson.

Coffee was served to over a hundred persons under the direction of Mrs. Laila Autio of Long Cove and Mrs. Hilma Johnson of Rockland assisted by Mrs. Aune Bragdon and Miss Ina Anderson for benefit of church and American Red Cross.

Makes Statement

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and the State Government are assuming more and more local government powers, and with the great need being a return of powers to the local government, here we go handing this power over to the State on a silver platter! The taxpayers and business men and women of Rockland should note carefully that if future conditions 20 or 30 years from now make it desirable to increase the pension, or imperative to reduce it, they are powerless to do so if this amendment is enacted into law! It is doubtful if thinking citizens wish to give away all this power and to sign such a blank check effective for many years in the future.

This article is written entirely from memory of the bill seen months ago, because upon inquiry today at the office of the City Clerk, no copy is available. Imagine our being asked to vote for an amendment that is not even shown to us. If I guess correctly the temper of the citizens of Rockland, they won't "buy a pig in a poke"—they won't vote for something they are not even permitted to read.

For the foregoing reasons, I urge all citizens of Rockland to put a cross in the "NO" square on this amendment ballot next Monday.

Sincerely yours, Edward C. Moran, Jr.

VINALHAVEN

Stephen K. Hamilton of Harvard College, Cambridge, Mass., spent the Thanksgiving recess at Vinalhaven and returned Monday to resume his studies at Harvard.

A good conservation trick to remember when cooking rice is to grease the pot first.

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THOMASTON

GLADYS O. CONDON
Correspondent
Tel. 113-3

Mrs. Cecil A. Day and daughter, Martha MacDonald of Augusta are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Day, Hyler street.

Miss Ruth Smalley has returned to Worcester, Mass., after four days' visit with Miss Leila Clark.

Miss Esther Genthner is spending the winter with her sister, Mrs. Irving Condon.

Donald Eck went last Friday to Boston for induction in the Navy.

Mrs. William Gilchrist announces the wedding of her daughter, Barbara E. to Lieut. George J. Sherbs, Nov. 11 at 11 a. m. at the Westover Field Chapel, Springfield, Mass.

The Baptist Junior Choir held its rehearsal Monday afternoon. Preparations for the music of the Christmas pageant was begun and Dianne Sawyer gave a report on the Christmas carol "Silent Night."

A rehearsal of officers of Grace Chapter O.E.S. will be held in Masonic hall Sunday at 4 o'clock.

S.Sgt. Richard F. Moore who has been in Alaska for over a year, is passing a 13-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Condon. This is the first time he has been home for two years.

Mrs. Isadore DeWinter has returned to Gardiner after a visit with Mrs. Grace Collamore and Miss Christine Moore.

Mayflower Temple, P.S. will hold a Christmas sale of fancy work, aprons and homemade candy at the K. P. hall today at 2:30. All members are asked to donate for the sale and to have their articles at the hall by 1:30. Supper will be served at 6:30 o'clock followed by the regular meeting which will include the annual election of officers.

Church News

At St. James Catholic Church Mass is celebrated every Sunday at 9 o'clock, except on the third Sunday of each month.

At Federated Church: Sunday School meets at 9:45, morning service at 11 o'clock, subject "The Interference of God." Anthem "Let Me Walk With Thee," by Buckley Evening service will be in charge of the Women's Mission Society, subject "The Light of Knowledge." Epworth League at 6:15.

At Baptist Church, Sunday School at 9:45 Morning service at 11 o'clock, topic, "Heaven;" anthem, "Blessed Are The Pure In Heart," by women voices. Choral anthem, evening topic, "The Light That Is Life." Christian Endeavor at 6. The leaders are Beverly Maxey and Joanne Vinal; topic, "Money Mine vs. Gods."

Annual sale fancy work and aprons Wednesday Dec. 7 at 2 p. m. at Federated Church. Chicken pie supper at 6—adv. 97-12

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ROY ROGERS
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"So Proudly We Hail"

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NOTICE TO PATRONS OF THOMASTON-ROCKLAND BUS LINE

The Municipal Officers of Thomaston have designated the following places for bus stops in the "Corner Section" at Thomaston, viz.:

FOR EAST BOUND BUSES

1. At Green Street near Episcopal Church and at Knox Street near Anderson's Cafe

FOR WEST BOUND BUSES

2. At Beechwoods Street near Vinal Block and at Green Street. NO OTHER STOPS AT THE CORNER ARE PERMITTED Per Order, Board of Selectmen.

Dated November 15, 1943.

CAMDEN

MISS NELLIE AMES
Correspondent
Tel. 2340

Mrs. Evelyn McFarland was weekend guest of her son Roscoe McFarland.

Richard Browne, S2c who recently passed a furlough with his mother, Mrs. Myrtle Browne, has been assigned to Torpedo School. His address is: T. M. Service School, Co. 1234, Naval Training Station, Newport, R. I.

Miss Josephine Leo, WAVES, recently spent a few days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dominico Leo.

Pfc. Robert Morse, U.S.M.C., who has been training at Parris Island, S. C., is enjoying a furlough at the home of his parents on Knowlton street.

Miss Barbara Dvinal presented Monday a program entitled "Sixty Minutes of Make Believe" to the Business and Professional Woman's Club of Portland.

At the recent Megunticook Grange card party the winners were: First prize, Mrs. Luella Tuttle; second prize, Mrs. Florence Allen; consolation, Marston Beveridge.

A special meeting of Keystone Chapter, R.A.M., will be held Wednesday with work in the Most Excellent Master degree with a large class of candidates.

Tickets are on sale for the senior play, "Brother Goose" and may be bought from any senior. Reserved seats will be checked at the box office beginning Monday at 1 p. m.

A Masonic assembly will be held Thursday night. On the committee are Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hoffes, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Lunt, Mr. and Mrs. William Butman and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cummings. Those not solicited are asked to take sandwiches.

Having voted to contribute to the Service Honor Roll, the Sodality of Our Lady of Good Hope held a social Wednesday night at the home of the prefect Mrs. Evelyn M. Hughes to raise money for this purpose.

Cochairmen of the party were Mrs. Emma R. Windvand and Miss Helen M. Dougherty of the Apostolic and social committees. Awards were won by Mrs. Nancy Atkins, Mrs. Windvand and John Hughes. The pastor of the parish, Rev. James P. Savage, was present, also the spiritual director of the Sodality, Rev. A. D. Gillis. A light repast was served.

Congressman Ralph O. Brewster will speak Tuesday night in the Opera House, under auspices of the Business Men's Association. There will be a musical program by the High School band and Boy Scouts will act as ushers.

Mr. and Mrs. John Reid of Camden were hosts at a family dinner party Saturday, honoring their son, Lieut. Robert Reid, and his wife. Others in the group were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stanwood of Brunswick, and Philip Montgomery.

Representative Margaret C. Smith of Maine has been advised by the Solid Fuels Administration that a 1400-ton barge of coal has been authorized for Camden after urgent representations of shortage from P. G. Willey Company there. She said, however, that this might have to last through the winter, and that the present outlook does not promise 90 percent of the necessary supply.

Mr. Willey says that the population of Camden has increased 40 percent due to shipyard expansion, mills on government contracts, families of nearby army camp officers, conversions of furnaces to coal. Camden is eight miles from

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E. A. CHAMPNEY
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Tel. 2229

At the meeting Monday of the Try To Help Club these officers were elected: Mrs. Ruth Shaw, president; Miss Helen Small, vice president; Miss Hazel Wall, secretary; Mrs. Lena Tominski, treasurer. The next meeting will be at the vestry Monday.

Theo La Folley is confined to his home with the grip.

At the Red Cross meeting Tuesday afternoon 22 workers were present and 1800 surgical dressings were folded. The December quota is 10,500 dressings and more workers are needed. Eighty-five boxes were packed and mailed to the boys in service. More contributions of money are needed to take care of postage etc.

News has been received of the death this week at Rochester, Mich., of Mrs. E. L. Westborn (Eleanor Sidelinger) a former resident here.

The Baptist Ladies Circle will meet with Mrs. Maud Carleton, Wednesday.

Mrs. C. V. Overman accompanied her father Rev. C. R. Sims of Bath to Boston to attend the funeral of her grandfather, Robert A. Sims. Though over 90 years of age Mr. Sims had paid a visit a year ago to Rev. and Mrs. Overman.

The sermon subject Sunday morning at the Baptist Church will be "The Counsellor." Morning service at 11. Sunday school at 12 o'clock. Young peoples service at 6 o'clock and evening service at 7 o'clock. Miss Marion Lane and Miss Doris Quimby are in charge of the Young Peoples program next Sunday.

"Saying Thank You to the Prophets" will be the theme at the nearest rail and needs barge movement of fuel, she was told. Otherwise the harbor would freeze over soon, and coal would have to come on crowded rails and be trucked here.

At the Baptist Church Sunday, the church school will convene at 9:30, and worship service will be at 11. This will be the "Sunday of Sacrifice" when offerings are made for the World Emergency Fund. The pastor's subject will be "Fulfilling the Law of Christ." Music will include an anthem and responses by the choir. The communion service will follow the morning worship.

The young people will meet at 6 o'clock with Patricia Magee as the leader.

At the Methodist Church Sunday church service will begin at 10:30 a. m., followed by Sunday school at 11:45. The W.S.C.S. will meet Wednesday at the parsonage, 56 Mountain street. The Mens' Brotherhood will meet at the home of O. M. Cross, Harding avenue, Sunday night at 8. The evening service begins at 6:30. There will be lantern slides on the theme "O Come and Let Us Worship."

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The Black Cat



(By The Roving Reporter)

In company with my genial friend, County Commissioner Alfred C. Hocking, I rode out into Northern Knox Tuesday, pausing for quite an extended call at the Alford Lake Farm, conducted by Ben Nichols. We found him busy with the demands of the Fall season, but not too busy to show us his 74 head of stock, mostly composed of the finest looking Jersey cows which ever posed for a milking machine and looking supremely contented with their surroundings, which constitute one of the finest dairying institutions to be found in New England. Everything is spic and span, leaving no further room for wonder as to the excellence of the product.

Our real reason for Tuesday's trip was to inspect the granite walks which Supt. Hocking is laying on the Nichols estate, and those which have recently been constructed in other parts of the county. The Spring and Fall mud will have no further terrors for the Nichols family once the work there is completed, and the broom which Mrs. Nichols was wielding so vigorously is in for much easier days.

Warren has a solitary granite walk at the present moment but neighbors are enviously eyeing the premises of Byron Robinson. The walk there is 37 feet in length and the granite slabs lay as level as though they grew there instead of John Meehan & Son's quarries at Clark Island. Back in Rockland we paused to survey the work which has been done on Sherwood S. Upham's premises at 67 Waldo avenue. In addition to the walks which have been built on the lawn there and the flag walk around its edges is the attractive granite fireplace. At Freeman S. Young's on South Main street there has been laid 75 feet of walk, unique in the fact that it includes a slab 15 feet long and level as a house floor. Other new granite walks which add much to the appearance of the premises were seen on the lawns of George L. St. Clair and Clifford C. Allen, Rankin street; Eugene E. Stoddard, Grove street; and at a house on Mechanic street, owned by Leforest A. Thurston. Supt. Hocking has also built a granite walk on Mrs. Jesse Carroll's premises in Camden.

Riding out of Union, toward Warren, we saw numerous hunting parties, taking advantage of the last day of the deer hunting season. We saw no deer, but one gun-

ner bore in his arms a good-sized fox.

When Mrs. David Mann of Ash Point received a letter the other day describing deep snow drifts in another part of the county, she shook her head almost unbelievably. Her gaze swept out over her own front yard which was as green as it was on the Fourth of July, and where dandelions and mustard plants were in full bloom despite December's chill.

Yuletide has taught me to expect a friendly message from Col. Frank P. Sibley, better known to many thousands of readers as "Ed Pointer" of the Boston Globe. Master of English in prose form Col. Sibley breaks now and then into poetic phraseology, and here is what he has to say at this Christmas season:

A valiant Christmas to you! May nothing you dismay. We can't be less courageous 'Than the boys who are away. See that the little children Rejoice on Christmas Day. And when their party's over, Go to your knees, and pray.

I hope that some readers of The Black Cat may find it convenient to drop a line to Col. Sibley. His address is "379 Broadway, Somerville, Mass." and he's the most appreciative customer you ever saw."

One year ago: The Camden shipyard contracted to build six 165-foot salvage tugs for the Navy—Miss Dorothy Sylvester was an eye witness of the Coconut Grove disaster in Boston—Among the deaths: Glen Cove; William R. Hall, 91; Rockland, Leander Sabien, 51; North Haven, Theodore E. Cooper, 87; Thomaston, Mrs. Adelbert Woodcock, 90.

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Tin Can Collection

To Be Made In Camden Next Monday—Next Day, If Stormy

The tin can collection in Camden is scheduled for next Monday. A freight car will be in Rockland Dec. 7 to receive these tin cans, and this will be the last opportunity this Fall to turn cans in. All should be properly prepared as follows: (a) wash; (b) remove labels; (c) remove ends or fold them in; (d) flatten cans by stepping on them; (e) do not let them get wet so they will rust.

For Monday's collection, the cans should be put in boxes, to make them easier to handle, and the boxes put in front of the house, beside the curb, not later than 9 a. m. If it is rainy or snowy, the cans should not be put out on Monday, the committee states, but should be put out on Tuesday, Pearl Harbor Day, instead, before 9 a. m. If it is also rainy on Armistice Day, the boxes of cans must be covered so they will not get wet, or they may be put on the front porch where they can be easily seen from the street, or call the Town Office, tel. 610, before 9 a. m.

Those who can conveniently take their cans to the Collection Stations may leave them at the Fire Station, or at the Brick School, not later than next Monday.

The importance of saving tin cans for salvage is explained by Charles Lord, chairman of the Salvage committee, who points out that tin is a "fighting metal" urgently needed for war purposes. The only cans which are not needed are oil, varnish, paint and floor polish cans. Evaporated milk cans are needed, as are all other kinds except the above named.

KEEP ON... Backing the Attack! WITH WAR BONDS

Notices of Appointment

I, Willis R. Vinal, Register of Probate for the County of Knox, State of Maine, hereby certify that in the following estates the persons were appointed Administrators, Executors, Guardians and Conservators and on the dates hereinafter named:

CARL H. SONNATAG, late of Rockland, deceased, October 29, 1943. Elsie M. Sonntag of Rockland, was appointed Executrix, without bond.

NETTIE F. SEAVEY, late of Cushing, deceased, November 16, 1943. Alonzo T. Seavey of Cushing was appointed Executor, without bond.

ALBERT WINSLOW, late of Rockland, deceased, November 16, 1943. John M. Richardson of Rockland, was appointed Special Administrator, and qualified by filing bond on same date.

CLARA LOUISE BATCHELDER, late of Warren, deceased, November 16, 1943. Henry M. Batchelder of Warren, was appointed Executor, without bond.

NATHANIEL YOUNG, late of Thomaston, deceased, November 16, 1943. Rodney E. Jordan of Thomaston, was appointed Administrator, and qualified by filing bond on same date.

LAURA A. ALBEE, late of Thomaston, deceased, November 16, 1943. Robert K. Mayo of Thomaston was appointed Guardian and qualified by filing bond November 17, 1943.

ELIZABETH T. WIGGIN, late of South Thomaston, deceased, November 16, 1943. Gifford B. Butler of South Thomaston, was appointed Executor, without bond.

JAMES L. McMANUS, late of Warren, deceased, November 16, 1943. Lottie B. McManus of Warren was appointed Executrix, without bond.

SARAH M. DAVIS, late of Rockland, deceased, November 16, 1943. Cora E. Richardson of Rockland, was appointed Administratrix, without bond.

MARY E. CASE, late of Rockland, deceased, November 16, 1943. Charles E. Case of Rockland, was appointed Administrator, without bond.

ALICE E. CARVER, late of North Haven, deceased, November 16, 1943. Philip L. Brown of North Haven was appointed Administrator without bond.

CLARA W. BRAZIER, late of Rockland, deceased, November 16, 1943. Forest H. Brazier of Rockland was appointed Administrator, without bond.

ABBIE B. HEALEY, late of Rockland, deceased, November 16, 1943. Jerome C. Burrows of Rockland, was appointed Administrator, without bond.

ALDEN B. BUTLER, late of Rockland, deceased, November 16, 1943. William W. Butler of Rockland, was appointed Administrator, c.t.a., without bond.

HERBERT N. BRAZIER, late of Rockport, deceased, November 16, 1943. Forest H. Brazier of Rockland was appointed Administrator d.b.n., c.t.a., without bond.

LEWIS G. GRAY, late of Camden, deceased, November 16, 1943. Mildred V. Gray of South Brooksville, was appointed Administratrix, d.b.n., c.t.a., without bond.

FRANCES BERNICE AMES, late of Vinalhaven, deceased, Nov. 24, 1943. Beulah M. Drew of Vinalhaven, was appointed Executrix, without bond.

ELLEN SULLIVAN, late of Thomaston, deceased, June 15, 1943. Susie A. Sullivan of East Boston, Mass., was appointed Admrx., and qualified by filing bond November 24, 1943. Alfred M. Strout of Thomaston, appointed Agent in Maine.

CLARENCE E. WALLACE, late of Cushing, deceased, November 16, 1943. Hibbard Young of Cushing, was appointed Administrator, and qualified by filing bond on November 24, 1943.

OTIS A. ROBINSON, late of Cushing, deceased, November 16, 1943. Hibbard Young of Cushing, was appointed Administrator, and qualified by filing bond on November 24, 1943.

FRED M. KENNISTON, late of Warren, deceased, November 16, 1943. Harold I. Drewett of Warren was appointed Administrator, and qualified by filing bond November 24, 1943.

ANNIE BERRY BURKMAR, other wise known as Annie M. Burkmar, late of Rockland, deceased, November 16, 1943. Ada B. Jacques of Manchester, New Hampshire, was appointed Executrix, and qualified by filing bond on November 26, 1943. Jerome C. Burrows of Rockland, appointed Agent in Maine.

Probate Notices

STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the estates hereinafter named: At a Probate Court held at Rockland, in and for the County of Knox, on the 16th day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-three, and by adjournment from day to day from the 10th day of said November, the following matters have been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, to wit: In the first place, notice thereof is given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in The Courier-Gazette, a newspaper published at Rockland, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Rockland on the 4th day of January, A. D. 1944 at nine o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

ESTATE ABRIE B. HEALEY, late of Rockland, deceased. Petition praying that Jerome C. Burrows of Rockland, as Administrator of said estate, or some other suitable person, be licensed to convey certain real estate situated in Rockland, and fully described in said petition, and distribute the proceeds of sale among the heirs living in different States. Present: E. O. Kenyon, C. Burrows of Rockland, Administrator.

ESTATE ADDIE F. SMITH HART, late of Tenants Harbor, deceased. Petition praying that Ira L. Smith of Ows Head, as Administrator of said estate, or some other suitable person be licensed to convey certain real estate situated in St. George, and Washington, and fully described in said petition, and distribute the proceeds of sale among the heirs living in different States. Present: Ira L. Smith of Ows Head, Administrator.

WITNESS: HARRY E. WILBUR, Esq., Judge of Probate Court for Knox County, Rockland, Maine.

Attest: WILLIS R. VINAL, Register.

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To all persons interested in either of the estates hereinafter named: At a Probate Court held at Rockland, in and for the County of Knox, on the 16th day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-three, and by adjournment from day to day from the 10th day of said November, the following matters have been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, to wit: In the first place, notice thereof is given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in The Courier-Gazette, a newspaper published at Rockland, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Rockland on the 24th day of December, A. D. 1943 at nine o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

LILA H. BURDICK, late of Wilton, Connecticut, deceased. Exemplified copy of Will and Probate thereof, together with a Petition for Probate of foreign Will, asking that the copy of said Will may be admitted, filed and recorded in the Probate Court of Knox County.

FRANCIS H. DEAN, late of Stratford, Connecticut, deceased. Exemplified copy of Will and Probate thereof, together with a Petition for Probate of foreign Will, asking that the copy of said Will may be admitted, filed and recorded in the Probate Court of Knox County.

A. B. THOMAS, late of Chicago, Illinois, deceased. Exemplified copy of Will and Probate thereof, together with a Petition for Probate of foreign Will, asking that the copy of said Will may be admitted, filed and recorded in the Probate Court of Knox County.

HELEN M. HILTON, late of Warren, deceased. Will and Petition for Probate thereof, asking that the same may be proved and allowed, and that the Testamentary issue to Joseph Stickney of Warren, he being the executor named in said Will, without bond.

ESTATE ANNIE J. PLUMMER, late of Rockland, deceased. Petition for Administration, asking that Marion P. Plummer of Rockland, or some other suitable person be appointed Administrator, without bond.

ESTATE LAFAYETTE F. CARTER, late of Thomaston, deceased. Petition for Administration, asking that Clyde F. Carter of Derry, New Hampshire, or some other suitable person be appointed Administrator, without bond.

ESTATE JACKSON C. SNOWDEAL, late of South Thomaston, deceased. Petition for Administration, asking that Gilford B. Butler of South Thomaston, or some other suitable person be appointed Administrator, without bond.

ESTATE MINNIE G. MILES, late of Rockland, deceased. Petition Perpetual Right of Burial Lot, presented by Minnie M. Griffin of Rockland, Adm.

ESTATE LENA A. DAVIS, late of Rockland, deceased. First and Final Account presented for allowance by E. L. Davis, Adm.

ESTATE ARTHUR E. McDONALD, late of Thomaston, deceased. First and Final Account presented for allowance by Ethel E. McDonald of Thomaston, Special Administratrix.

ESTATE GRACE H. BRITT, late of Rockland, deceased. First and Final Account presented for allowance by Edward H. Britt, Adm.

ESTATE ADA B. GILKEY, late of Rockland, deceased. First and Final Account presented for allowance by John S. Davis, Adm.

ESTATE EMMA J. AREY, late of Rockland, deceased. First and Final Account presented for allowance by John H. Arey of Vinhaven, Exr.

ESTATE ERNEST A. ROBBINS, Jr., late of Camden, deceased. First and Final Account presented for allowance by Jerome C. Burrows of Rockland, and Union Trust Company of Portland, Exrs.

ESTATE SOPHIA H. SHEPARD, late of Union, deceased. First and Final Account presented for allowance by E. Thurston of Union, Adm.

ESTATE ADDIE L. JENKINS, late of Rockport, deceased. First and Final Account presented for allowance by J. L. Burns, Adm.

ESTATE ALBERT WINSLOW, late of Rockland, deceased. Petition for Administration, asking that John M. Richardson of Rockland, or some other suitable person be appointed Administrator, without bond.

ESTATE ROY BEST ROWLING, late of Rockland, deceased. First and Final Account presented for allowance by John Rowling of Rockland, Adm.

DAE BARNES, late of St. George, deceased. Will and Petition for Probate thereof, asking that the same may be proved and allowed, and that the Testamentary issue to Clarence Barnes of St. George, he being the executor named in said Will, without bond.

ESTATE ALBERT T. CARROLL, late of Rockport, deceased. Petition for Administration, asking that Walter E. Carroll of Rockport, or some other suitable person be appointed Administrator, without bond.

ESTATE ADELLA N. TOWNSEND, late of Thomaston, deceased. First and Final Account, including private account of Administratrix, with the will annexed, presented for allowance by A. T. Kirkpatrick of Thomaston, Administratrix, with the will annexed.

ESTATE ADELLA N. TOWNSEND, late of Thomaston, deceased. Petition Distribution, presented by Adell Kirkpatrick of Thomaston, Administratrix, with the will annexed.

WITNESS: HARRY E. WILBUR, Esq., Judge of Probate Court for Knox County, Rockland, Maine.

Attest: WILLIS R. VINAL, Register.

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Social Matters

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Cobb Bird of Winchester, Mass., announce the engagement of their daughter, Marjorie Lucille to F. Thayer Richardson, USNR, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harris S. Richardson also of Winchester. Miss Bird is a graduate of Cushing Academy, Ashburnham, Mass., attended Centenary Junior College in New Jersey and Chandler School in Boston. Mr. Richardson is a graduate of Governor Dummer Academy and recently was graduated from Northeastern University. He is now waiting orders to report to the United States Naval Reserve.

Visit Lucien K. Green & Son's second floor, 18 School street, Odd Fellows Block, City, for Furs, Fur Coats and Cloth Coats at moderate prices.

Mrs. Fred Richardson and daughter, Mrs. Charles Walker, of Medford, Mass., spent the week-end in Rockland, visiting with relatives and friends.

The Junior Women's Club will meet Monday night with Miss Dorothy G. Lawry. Miss Marian H. Ginn will be assisting hostess. There will be a musical program with singing of carols.

The Chapin Class will meet Tuesday night with Miss Annie M. Frost, Masonic street.

The Women's Study Group will meet at the Methodist Church Monday at 7.30 p. m. The topic for discussion will be "International Co-operation," presented with six ten-minute speakers which will be followed by a half-hour of forum discussion. Tea will be served.

Miss Marguerite Hardy, employed at Sim's Lobster Bar, has returned from North Deer Isle, where she visited her brother, Emory H. Hardy.

Mr. and Mrs. David Knowlton of South Thomaston had as recent dinner guests, Mr. and Mrs. Dana Knowlton, Miss Ramona Dow and George S. Everett of Ingraham's Hill.

Browne Club will meet tonight with Mrs. Cletta Whitmore at 294 Broadway.

George W. Bachelard has returned from a visit of several days with his sister, Mrs. William H. Bennett in Norwell, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Crie are at the Burkmare house on Limerock street for the winter.

George A. Thurston of Bath, formerly of Rockland, was in the city for a few hours yesterday.

Mrs. Laura Davie and son Danny are visiting with Mr. Davie and his parents, at their home in Kenosha, Wis.

Best values in Ladies' Coats and Dresses at Vesper A. Leach's store. Temporary headquarters between A. & P. Super Market and Crie's Gift Shop.

HATCH-WOTTON

Alfred Hatch Lawry, son of Mrs. Oscar Lawry of Rockland, formerly of Vinhaven and Miss Frances Louise Wotton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wotton, Thomaston, were married Saturday night at Thomaston Methodist parsonage. Rev. H. F. Leach reading the single ring service.

The bride wore a blue crepe dress with wine accessories and a corsage of red roses. Her attendant, Mrs. Charles Rich of Rockland wore a black velvet dress and a corsage of yellow roses. The bridegroom was attended by Charles Rich of Rockland.

Mrs. Lawry graduated from Thomaston High School and attended Ballard Business school. Mr. Lawry graduated from Vinhaven High School and is employed at the O'Hara plant.

The couple will make their home for the present at 45 Talbot avenue, Rockland.

The Universalist Mission Circle will hold a Christmas program and candlelight service in the church vestry next Wednesday at 2.30 p. m. Members are requested to turn in their Little Red Stockings with their contributions to the Summer Camp for diabetic children at the Clara Barton birthplace.

Miss Mabel A. Spring has returned from a visit in Massachusetts, where she was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Pranker in Marblehead, and Dr. and Mrs. Everett C. Herrick in Newton Center. Miss Spring made a call on Mrs. Charles C. Howse in Jamaica Plain, who reported that Rev. Mr. Howse, interim pastor at the First Baptist Church, Rockland, the past Summer, was enjoying his work in his new parish.

Mrs. Louise Rowe will hold a sale of fancy work of crocheted and embroidered articles at 264 Main St. over Treener's Market during December—

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The Elks Memorial

Services To Be Held At the Home Sunday Night—Two Deaths the Past Year

To the honor roll of Rockland Lodge, B.P.O.E., are added the names of two brothers who have died the past year—Past Exalted Ruler Albert C. Jones and Harry A. Mather.

The annual service "to our absent Brothers" will be held at the Home next Sunday night. The memorial committee comprises Charles McIntosh, chairman; E. F. Wahl, Rodney Murphy and Robert Brewer. The program follows: Organ Selection, Stafford Congdon Opening Ceremonies, Exalted Ruler and Esquire Invocation, Lodge Chaplain, E. F. Wahl Solo, Mrs. Lydia T. Storer Roll Call, Exalted Ruler and Secretary Organ Selection, Stafford Congdon Altar Exercises, Exalted Ruler and Lodge Officers Solo, M. S. Lydia T. Storer Eulogy, Rev. Ernest O. Kenyon Audit Lang Syne.

Audience is requested to rise and join in singing. Benediction. Lodge Chaplain, E. F. Wahl Buffet Luncheon. The exercises will begin at 7 p. m. and the public is invited.

Observation Posts

Activated Every Wednesday—Warning Medals Are Awarded

Observation posts are activated every Wednesday from 1 to 5 p. m. Observers are needed for two-hour watches on that day. Any observers willing to take a watch will please contact Austin Brewer or call Mrs. Gerald U. Margeson, 1209R.

Observers pins have been awarded to 141 persons who have completed the required number of duty hours and the Wednesday watches will give an opportunity to other observers to complete the hours necessary to receive a pin.

Aircraft Warning medals for hours and merit have been awarded to the following persons:

1000 hours: Austin P. Brewer, chief observer; Margraet Margeson, assistant chief observer; Beulah Wishman.

500 hours: Bernice Haveren, Ralph Clark, Lloyd Daniels, Enos Bridges, Ralph Gullifer, Charles Swett, Robert Brewer, S. Nilo Speer, Joseph Soffayer, Oliver Ingraham, Stanley Richards, Thomas Anastasio.

For merit: Ethel Campbell and Vera French.

A recognition class will be started if a group of observers are interested in taking the course.

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This And That



By K. S. F.

The City of London, ruled over by the Lord Mayor, is England's Wall Street and newspaper row. Over this small district rules the Lord Mayor, whose show each Fall in normal times is one of the greatest sights of London. He must be a man of wealth for his salary does not begin to cover the expenses of his office.

The Maine Library Bulletin calls attention to the fact that in spite of all librarians have done, roughly 35 million people in the United States are without public library service today. More than half the rural people in the country have no access to a public library. In the field of school library service, it is estimated that 40% of the country's schools still are without library service within the school. In view of the belief of progressive school leaders that a good library is basic in a modern school curriculum, this is a serious lack for boys and girls who will be America's future citizens.

A fine luncheon dish or hearty supper for a hearty family.

Egg and Potato Casserole
Three tablespoons margarine, or other fat, 3 tablespoons flour, 2 cups milk, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 6 hard-boiled eggs, 3 cups sliced cooked potatoes, 1 cup grated American cheese. Slice eggs and mix with other ingredients. Bake 25 minutes.

Now it's England where a far-seeing woman has bequeathed a fund to provide Bibles to be placed in every hotel room throughout the country.

Animals living in open country are more gregarious, agile and make less noise than those inhabiting forest and mountain wooded countries.

The man who tried to get the better of William Dean Howells generally lived to regret it. When the famous author was consul at Venice, he was quite stout, but not at all named of it.

One day a friend, an extremely tall and lanky individual, called on Howells and exclaimed derisively, "My friend, if I were as fat as you are, I would hang myself."

"Well," said Howells, "if I ever decide to take your advice I'll use you for a rope."

Salvation Army Canteens in this war, as in World War One, are those nearest the front line and that organization's "moral support" is welcomed by every branch of our Armies," former President Herbert Hoover said at a meeting in urging public support of the Salvation Army. "It is one of our greatest organizations of social service and in a thousand fields. It has developed in its more than 60 years in the United States to an essential part of the machinery of our whole social structure. It has an almost limitless range of social work in the 48 States."

Try My Potato-burgers
One pound hamburger, 2 cups coarsely grated unpeeled potatoes, 1/4 cup onion, coarsely grated, 1 1/2 teaspoons salt, 1/4 teaspoon pepper, 1/4 cup Spry or butter. Combine hamburger, potatoes, onion, salt. Cook 10 minutes.

Chemists are having their day in these needful hours of progress in this line of science. Residues of different agricultural growths and much throw away in many lines are now found to be full of the real needs of the war. Acids, salts, and even fluff are used.

Now is the time to drink plenty of hot chocolate for supper. It is both food and drink.

The kitchen strategist is the need of the hour. She must have the situation firmly in mind to make things stretch and stretch, yet watch the vitamin content for health sake.

Blessed is the sunshine.

It Opens Tomorrow

Vesper A. Leach's Ladies' Specialty Store Is In New Quarters

Vesper A. Leach's ladies' specialty store will open Saturday morning, just across the street from the old location, in the building occupied for many years as a restaurant.

Mr. Leach, veteran Main street merchant, was 22 years with the W. O. Hewitt Company and for the past 40 years has been in business for himself. The store location was at 306 Main street the past 35 years. The new store is thoroughly modern in its equipment and fixtures, and patrons will find that Rockland

Ready For Action

Rockland's Girl Scout Council Is Organized Into Working Committees

The Rockland Girl Scout Council has organized into these working committees: Organization, Mrs. Dorinda Coughlin, Rev. James F. Savage, Rev. E. O. Kenyon and Mrs. Marian Miller. Program, Miss Mary A. Brown, Rev. Dr. John Smith Lowe and Mrs. Virginia Peterson.

Public relations, John M. Richardson, Miss Katherine Veazie and Rev. Roy A. Welker. Finance, LeForest A. Thurston, Dr. Edwin L. Scarrott, Pearl Studley, Arthur P. Lamb and Lawrence Miller. Membership, Mrs. Lola Smith and Mrs. Ethel Gordon.

Mrs. Mildred Crie is secretary of the council, William J. Sullivan, its treasurer and Miss Ruth Rogers is registrar.

Miss Marion Packard has gone to Waltham, Mass., to spend the Winter with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Hall.

The Rubinstein Club chorus will hold a rehearsal Friday night at 7 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Philip Howard.

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and this section may well be proud of having such a finely appointed store.

Mr. Leach, showing much courage following the disastrous fire of Sept. 29, which destroyed his building and practically all his stock and fixtures, and his manager, Oliver P. Ingraham have in two months' time, considering war-time restrictions, done a fine piece of work in getting ready to again serve the public.

A detailed description of the new store and a story of the opening will appear in Tuesday's issue.



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At Sarasota Beach

Mr. Broadbent Finds Plenty To Occupy His Idle Moments

Editor of The Courier-Gazette:—

Some of the cottages at Sarasota Beach are occupied by Army aviators and their young brides. The aviators are based at Venice, 17 miles away, where housing shortage is very acute. Most of the aviators have their own cars, a few of them doubling up with others.

They come from all parts of the United States, and one gets the impression in talking with them that they are a unit in demanding the complete destruction of Germany and Japan as world powers.

These men in training for our air force do not stay very long at one base, but are moved around frequently. Their wives have just got nicely settled in a new location when transfer orders are received and they have to pull up stakes and again go through the ordeal of finding a place to stay.

I was talking with a lady from Brooklyn, whose husband, a dentist, is at the Venice air training station. She has three small children and has accompanied her husband in all his travels. She declares there is no other place in all the world like New York, and once she gets back there she certainly will appreciate her own little home.

These women accompanying their husbands have to undergo many hardships owing to the housing shortage.

A woman friend of mine, whose oldest son is commander of a "crash" boat, sublet her nice apartment in Tampa in order to be with him. She told me that if he were ordered to Europe and he never came back she would never forgive herself if she did not follow him to every new location.

First he was at Clearwater, then at Sarasota, then back again to Clearwater, and now he is located at Lake Charles, Louisiana. In addition to the son in command of a "crash" boat, she has a boy of 15 who, in this new location, has to travel 12 miles by bus to reach high school.

The only accommodation she could obtain for herself and young son was one room in a cabin for which she paid \$10 a week. They had to eat in a restaurant where the food was simply horrible.

After six weeks she secured what she described as a three-room shack into which a few sticks of furniture were moved, but there was no stove for cooking.

was secured from the ration board then another week elapsed before lights were installed and liquid gas for cooking.

She described their new location as out in the swamps, the natives being trappers and hunters. Many of them speak some sort of French.

There are two beer parlors and after dusk "the wild horses and cows take over," meaning the soldiers and their girl friends. The natives live as their ancestors did a hundred years ago. Sanitary conditions are unknown, drinking water coming from wells.

Her letter to me concludes: "A bath tub is a luxury here, and they still cling to the old-fashioned 'half-moon' outhouses. So you see I really am roughing it. If and when I get out of here I won't know how to act. I feel like a goldfish out of water. You can just picture me taking a bath in a washtub, slopping all over the floor."

"If I ever see a real bathtub again I'll lay in it and soak for hours, getting this God-forsaken place out of my system."

S. Newton Broadbent.
Siesta Key, Fla., Nov. 28.

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Early Days

The book of Acts was written about 60 years after the death of the Saviour. It commences with the Lord's farewell instructions to the Apostles, and traces the history of the infant church up to the time of Peter's departure from Palestine, when he commenced the new policy of preaching to the Gentiles. It supplements the Gospels and describes literally the fulfillment of His promise to sanctify and guide His Church.

It is the Gospel of the Holy Spirit. Modern churches need the indwelling of the Holy Spirit as much or more than did the early church. The Holy Spirit was not a temporary visitation, but an abiding possibility while the Church of God works among men. The seven first deacons ordained by the Apostles were Stephen, Philip, Prochorus, Nicanor, Timon, Parmenas and Nicolas.

It was directed by the Apostles that these men should be of good reputation, full of the spirit and of wisdom and with the ability to carry on this necessary help. It was not specified that they should be saints for they were distinctly men. There is not an intimation that these men failed the confidence placed in them, but some were greater than others.

Stephen was a man of power. His name signified a crown, and he was the first Christian to receive the crown of martyrdom. He was a young man of such original genius and special grace that he would have gone far had he been allowed to live.

Philip was the great helper and precursor of St. Paul. He could not help preaching, in season and out. He hopped up into the chariot of the Ethiopian, converted and baptized him. These early deacons honored the church that honored them, the explanation being they became filled with the Holy Spirit, and sought the cure of human souls.

William A. Holman

At Full Gospel Assembly, 564 Main street, services Sunday will be at 2:30 and 7:30 p. m.; Tuesday evening at 7:30, Bible study; Thursday at 7:30, regular prayer service. Every Sunday at 1 p. m. Sunday School. Elder Harold Haynes and Rev. Vernon Carver will be in charge. Every-

body welcome to these old fashioned Gospel services.

"Why We Are Universalists—and there are many of them in all Fellowships" will be the subject of Dr. Lowe's sermon at the Universalist Church at 10:40 a. m. Sunday. Soloist Miss Lotte McLaughlin. The nursery department for children of pre-school age meets in the children's room during the service of worship; all other classes in the church school meets at 12 o'clock, England and France shall be an one.

"The Opportunity That Is Ours" will be the text of the sermon by Rev. Charles A. Marsteller Sunday at the 10:30 service at Littlefield Memorial Church. Special music will include a selection by the quartet. Sunday school follows at 11:45 with classes for all ages. Young people's meeting at 6 with Miss Florence Knight as leader. The last half hour will be devoted to Bible study. At 7:15 the pastor will speak on "Being Ministered Unto We Minister," and the Young People's choir will sing. Mid-week prayer and praise service Tuesday night at 7:30. The Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs. Rhoda Hamilton on Camden street Wednesday night.

"God the Only Cause and Creator" is the subject of the lesson-sermon that will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, Sunday, Dec. 5. The golden text is: "Every house is builded by some man; but he that built all things is God" (Hebrews 3:4). The citations from the Bible include the following passages: "To whom then will ye liken me, or shall I be equal? saith the Holy One. Lift up your eyes on high, and behold who hath created these things, that bringeth out their host by number; he calleth them all by names, by the greatness of his might, for that he is strong in power; not one faileth" (Isaiah 40:25-26).

In the United Episcopal Parish of S. S. Peter, John and George, Rev. E. O. Kenyon, rector, the services for the Second Sunday in Advent will be: At St. John's, Thomaston, Holy Eucharist at 8 a. m. At St. Peter's Holy Eucharist and sermon at 9:30, church school at 10:45. At St. George's, Long Cove, church school at 3:30, Vespers at 4 p. m.

The Lord's Supper will be observed at the 10:45 a. m. service at Pratt Memorial Methodist Church. The Nursery school will meet during the hour of worship. The church school will meet at noon. At 1 o'clock the Junior Department will meet for work on the Christmas program.



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Men... may we have a word in private?

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Reply To "Inquirer"

Another "Mother Shipton" Prophecy Is Advanced By Vinalhaven Woman

Vinalhaven, Nov. 27

Editor of The Courier-Gazette:— I have several prophecies relating to France, but only one by Mother Shipton. However, perhaps somebody else may have another. I haven't all of her prophecies. Here is the one I have...

Three times three shall lovely France be led to dance a bloody dance. Before her people shall be free. Three tyrant rulers shall she see; Three times the people's hope is gone; Three rulers in succession see. Each Spring from a different dynasty. Then shall the worst fight be done, England and France shall be as one.

Anybody who has, even a superficial knowledge of history, should be able to interpret this prophecy. The "Bloody dance" undoubtedly refers to the battles of Blenheim, Waterloo, and the Blitzkrieg of 1940, the "Three Tyrant Rulers" are Louis XVI, Napoleon the First, and Hitler, each are from a different dynasty. The "three times the people rule alone" refers to the three revolutions, 1792-1830 and 1948. "Three times the people rule alone." Three times the people's hope is gone? no doubt refers to the political estrangement and want of constitutional government which the people of France have endured by allowing the usurpation of power by Louis Philippe, Napoleon and Hitler.

The last line, "England and France shall be as one," is open to several interpretations. 1. England could be defeated and both England and France be consolidated under the Third Reich. 2. If England wins the present war, France could become a part of the British Dominion having her own Prime Minister, making her own laws and being really free in everything but name. 3. France, could become a member of The United Nations, and be free in name and in fact so long as she behaved herself. The latter seems most likely to become her choice, at least, just at present.

Arvilla B. Davis

The Youth Fellowship will meet at 6. At the pastor will preach, Monday at 7:30 p. m. the Rockland Church Women's Study Group will meet in the vestry for the study of International Co-operation. All women of the city are invited. Prayer meeting will be held Tuesday at 7:30. Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. the Baraca Class will meet at the church for a Christmas party. Ten cent gifts will be exchanged.

At the 10:30 service of the First Baptist Church the sermon, "A Needed Force" by Rev. J. Charles MacDonald will be followed by the communion service. At noon the church school will meet with graded Bible instruction for all age groups. The young people will have their Bible class at 5, followed by the Christian Endeavor hour at 6. The church school, from the Junior Department, will be our guests at the evening service at 7:15. The Young People's and Intermediate Departments will furnish special music, and Mr. MacDonald will give a message on "A King's Visit." This will be followed by a baptismal service. All young people are invited to a half hour of fellowship after the evening service.



GUARDIANS OF OUR COAST

PORTLAND HEAD

Arthur T. Harlow of South Portland was guest Sunday at the station.

Ann Walker Sterling spent Monday with her grandparents at the station.

Miss Nannie H. Kinney and Mrs. Lillian Brown were week-end guests at the Hills.

Guests recently entertained at the Sterlings were Mrs. Fred Sterling and son Peter of Bath. Recent callers at the Hills were A. J. Beal, Keeper White Head Light and Mrs. Beal and Mrs. L. O. Goff of Westbrook.

The Sterlings entertained at a large Thanksgiving Day dinner party. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sterling, daughter Marion and Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Stoddard of Peaks Island, Mrs. Fred Sterling, son Peter of Bath; Mr. and Mrs. Robert T. Sterling and daughter Ann of Portland.

The Hills entertained at dinner large Thanksgiving Day dinner H. Robinson of Brooklyn, N. Y., Mrs. Lillian Brown and Miss Nannie Kinney of Portland, a special guest Mrs. S. G. Robinson celebrating a birthday anniversary. Mrs. Robinson received many cards and gifts, also a birthday cake. We are wishing her many happy returns

WASHINGTON—AND YOU

By Margaret Chase Smith

Washington, Dec. 1.—My trip to Palm Beach with Coast Guard Commandant, Russell Waesche and Commander Dorothy Stratton, to review the Coast Guard SPARS camp there last Saturday was very interesting. We flew to Florida and spent the entire day in the training area. This is where several hundred incoming apprentice seamen, average age 22, come in from all parts of the country for six weeks' training. After this time about half of the recruits are sent out as seamen second class. Some are assigned to special billets. The other half is given additional training, taking four to twelve weeks in specialty schools. These girls are taking over more and more duty stations ashore for a service that enjoys the reputation for getting things done expeditiously.

A few days before this I attended a review of the SPARS here on the parkway south of the White House with Mrs. Roosevelt, Mrs. Knox, Mrs. Forrester, Senator Bally and others. These girls in uniform are doing fine work, and I am hoping that as others see this, and hear the appreciation expressed by the men of the services, that recruiting will be adequate. SPARS are not and never have been an auxiliary. They receive the same pay and rating as Coast Guardsmen. The Coast Guard is part of the Navy during the war.

In a short speech I made to the SPARS, I said that women are always able to rise to a demand on their service. Men sometimes wonder about women being good welders, are amazed at their heroism in the war zones, and the way they have made good workers in factories and on farms. But women have a great faculty for being able to do whatever they have to do. ever service is required of them, they can do it. So, when the war came, and the armed service needed women, women put on the uniform and are serving. On the West Coast I saw women in overalls and old sweaters, serving in factories and aircraft plants and shipyards.

All the members of the Maine Congressional delegation are working to get coal and wood as the winter closes down on Maine towns, and appeals keep coming to us. I felt quite triumphant when I was able to convince the Solid Fuels Administration that a Somerset County constituent must have an extra allotment of anthracite for chicken brooders. They sent a carload from a reserve pool at the mines which is only tapped in absolute need. When we finally got through to top officials we learned that the chicken business is one industry to be provided with coal as long as any is available.

It happened that this appeal came from a dealer who had to furnish coal for naval aviation cadets and a canning factory, so that he had none to divert to chicken brooders. His application for more coal therefore included chickens, canned goods and the cadets. He had been told that anthracite could not be used for "space heating," meaning the canning factory where the goods were stored. For processing, yes, the coal could be used, but not for space heating. He asked why it was all right to let the canned goods freeze after they were packed, if coal would be permitted for the packing.

The wood situation is bad in many places also—usually 2000 to 3000 cords are sold in this one town but this year not more than 500 are available. People who ordinarily use wood are turning to

coal, and coal is now scarce. Of course, this carload won't last long, but officials are hoping the coal situation will ease a little.

We are finding that this war is causing more mental disablement than any other war, but we are saving most of the men who give way temporarily under the strain of war. I was told while on the West Coast with my Naval Affairs sub-committee. Only 20 percent are mentally hurt beyond saving; 20 percent are quickly restored; the other 60 percent need longer treatment. Competent officials have told me they think that this 60 percent should not be institutionalized, that they will get well sooner if they are placed separately on farms or elsewhere, where they can have a normal life among normal people. This suggestion is being given careful study.

Group Life Program

Has Been Launched For Employees By The Bath Iron Works

W. S. Newell, President of the Bath Iron Works Corporation has announced the adoption of a Group Life Insurance Program for the thousands of employees of the corporation.

The plan which is being underwritten by the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, became effective Dec. 1, and will continue in operation after the month of December upon the enrollment of at least 75 percent of the employees. On the effective date—Dec. 1, 1943—however, all employees with six months or more of service actively at work that day become insured under the plan with the Corporation assuming the full cost for the month of December. Employees continuing in the plan after December 31st will contribute fixed amounts for each \$1,000 of insurance, while the Bath Iron Works Corporation will bear the balance of the entire net cost.

The program provides, for the security of the employees and their families, amounts of Life Insurance ranging from \$1,000 to \$5,000—the amounts determined upon the dual basis of length of service and basic yearly earnings.

Various services are offered by the insurance company without additional cost to the workers. The one that touches the employees most closely is visiting Nursing Service.

CERTIFIED BY AUDITORS

From the office of Millett, Fish & Dresser, public accountants and auditors, in Portland, yesterday, came the following:

Auditor's Certificate

To the Members of the City Council, Rockland:

We hereby certify that we have examined the books of account and records of the Tax Collector and Treasurer of the City of Rockland for the year ended Oct. 31, 1943. That we have ascertained that all monies received by these departments have been properly accounted for and that all disbursements appear to be proper.

GRANGE CORNER

News items from all of the Patrons of Husbandry are welcomed here.

Hope Grange meets Monday at 6:30. As there will be election of officers, a large attendance is desired.

The Memory Man

Aided By Relative He Tells Of the Houses On Rankin Street

(By Iree Member)

Editor of The Courier-Gazette:— Hoary headed Iree ran an "Ad" in the classified column recently and had to telephone The Courier-Gazette office. "Even sake pull my stove ad out—sold the stove and could have sold at least a dozen more. The calls are still coming." Just one little ad in one issue did all that!

Moral? You guessed it—Subscribe for the best home paper printed—The Courier-Gazette—and consult and use the fine service offered in its columns.

While getting the deck cleared for future memory sketches and while we are still in the throes of getting settled here I will quote from a letter just received from Capt. Al Farnham—who is now residing in Ellsworth. His memories of Rankin street residents dates back 50 to 60 years ago and should be of interest to many readers and if Capt. Al's list isn't correct, comments and corrections by some of the readers should be in order and of interest. Here's what Capt. Al writes:

"So you have got back to your old home town! Cora has been fretting because we did not hear from you for a week or two. I told her not to fret—that you would write as soon as you got time. We sure enjoy the sketches you write. They bring memories of happy days long past.

So you are living on Rankin street? Must be between the old Bradley house and the Blah Veazie place—Del Veazie's father's place. Austin Smith built a house and lived there when I left Rockland I was in to Glover's to see him the Summer of '41. Austin owned quite a field there on Rankin street. Is the house you are living in the one he built or did he build another? Jim Gardner cut the hay on Austin's place one year. Cy Gahan and I helped out the hay. Rankin hill, old memories. Ed Heller's, "Hen"

Buy more War Bonds...and we'll lose fewer boys!

Clark, Garret Coughlin, Bradley house at top of hill, on the right, the old Marks place, John Reed, Rev. Taylor, on left. On the right, farther up, Austin Smith built a place, then comes the Manley Lampson place, Del Veazie place, next the Jackson place, next "Wiz" Oliver place, then the old blacksmith shop—how it must have changed by now.

"On the left side of the street lived Jake Farrington, Will Kallach, Ed Ulmer. I remember that a fellow named Allen lived near the head of the street and think George Daggett lived in the Jake Farrington house after Jake moved to Thomaston. All gone now as far as I can learn. Makes me homesick to think of the old days, yet I would not forget!"

The above is only part of the letter, but all that should be of interest to The Courier-Gazette readers. Capt. Al mentions only residents from Rankin hill up the line but I am sure he remembers the tall house which was like a tower on the left near the foot of the hill. (Charles Dow lived there and we often wondered that a gust of wind didn't blow the house over. Perhaps one gust did as I note that the house has disappeared! Then there was Charles Bicknell's place, the Crie house, the new house built by Payson—of Mowry & Payson factory, the Del Lamb place, etc.

Many years have passed and many changes have been made since Iree left Rockland, but many familiar places remain and, now that I am back home, I shall, as soon as time and gas will permit, have fun tearing around on two wheels (where the road curves) while I get reacquainted with the scenes of my childhood. I was asked very recently if I ever expected to move again! What a question! I don't intend to move, no, but I vowed, once, that I would never move again and have moved so many times since I made that vow that I have lost count! I don't intend to move again but—no more "never move again" vows for me! I fervently "hope" to live out my days in Rockland, but, life is funny, I vow it is.

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"Early purchasing and shipping of Christmas gifts by the public is imperative to relieve the big demand upon transportation facilities and retail stores and services, and will assure civilians more adequate service in fulfilling their shopping needs. The co-operation of the public in every community can be a notable contribution to the most effective use of the man-power available to meet civilian needs during the holiday period."

Rockland stores are operating on shorter hours—less help and the slow delivery of merchandise from the manufacturers—all make it essential for merchants and shoppers alike—to heed this warning and really buy early this season.

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